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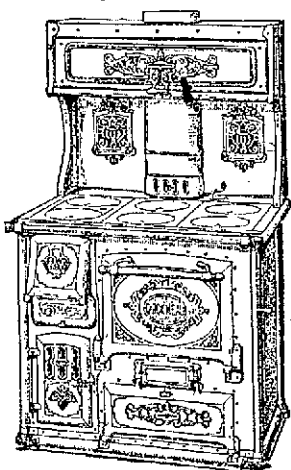
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### COUNCIL IN SESSION.

Interesting Meeting of the City Fathers on Tuesday Night.

Several important matters were brought before the council on Tuesday evening, one of which was the petition from Messrs. Johnson, Witter and others asking that in case they build the proposed dam across the Wisconsin river and make other improvements amounting to from \$300,000 to \$350,000 the city give them a rebate on their taxes for five years, the rebate to apply only to the improvements that are contemplated.

The matter was discussed somewhat both by aldermen and others present and it was finally voted that the matter be again taken up at an adjourned session of the council the following Tuesday night. In the meantime the measure was referred to a committee of three to consider and report on at the next meeting. This committee will be at the city hall on Saturday evening and any of our citizens who wish to look over the petition may do so, and in fact their inspection is solicited by the committee.

John Farris of the Grand Rapids Lumber Company made a verbal proposition to the council to the effect that if the city would rebate to the lumber company their real estate tax amounting to \$600 for the last year the company would hereafter pay all taxes on both real estate and personal property that the city might see fit to assess. The company had already paid their personal property tax amounting to \$1100. According to the agreement made by the city of Centralia before the consolidation the company was to be released from their taxes for a period of five years, and this is the second year of their existence. The petition was granted.

A petition from the Twin City Electric and Water Company asking that they be granted the exclusive right to establish and maintain a water system in the city for a period of thirty years was granted.

The salaries of the various city officers were raised to the following figures: Mayor, \$100 per year; clerk, \$25; treasurer, \$30; attorney, \$15; assessor, \$5 per day during actual work; day police, \$40; night police, \$40. The salaries were granted without a dissenting voice. It has been the opinion of our citizens for some time that the salaries of our police were insufficient and general satisfaction is expressed at the change.

After the usual routine business of allowing bills, etc., the council adjourned until next Tuesday night.

### Electric Company Meets.

At a meeting of the Twin City Electric Company on Friday evening, the amended franchise as granted them by the council was accepted. The name of the company was also changed to the Twin City Electric and Water Company and the constitution and by-laws so amended as to allow the company to engage in the establishment of a waterworks system.

All that now remains is the securing of the money, which it is stated can be done at a satisfactory rate of interest. In connection with this it may be in order to mention that on Tuesday evening the city council granted the company a thirty year exclusive franchise to operate a waterworks system in this city. This action was necessary in order that the company would be enabled to borrow the money necessary to establish the plant.

### Christian Endeavor Musical.

The Christian Endeavor society of the First Congregational church, west side, will give a musical entertainment Thursday evening, Feb. 14. Admission, children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents. Come and encourage the young people in their good work, they promise you an enjoyable evening.

### Program.

Piano.....  
Tenor Solo, violin accompaniment.....  
Cotton Band Contest.....  
Song.....  
Boston Commandery.....  
Baritone and tenor duet, Larkwood, Watch.....  
Piano Solo.....  
The Colored Major.....  
Flora.....  
Song.....  
Jolly Fellowship.....  
Solo, Remember Me.....

### Broke a Leg.

Henry Tempest of Sheboygan who has been working in the woods near Vesper during the winter met with a bad accident on Wednesday. He was felling a tree and in coming down it struck him on the right leg, breaking it in two places, once above and below the knee. He is being cared for by Dr. Waters.

### Carl Yonz Dead.

Carl Frederick Yonz who had been residing with his son Charles on the West side for some time past died on Sunday at the age of 80 years from heart failure and old age. The funeral was held on Tuesday from the German Lutheran church, Rev. Bittorf officiating.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the past week:

Ernest Oestrich and Minnie Walterbach, both of Marshfield.

Charles Regele and Lily Pearl both of the town of Lincoln.

### To the Deaf.

A rich lady cured of her deafness and noises in the head by Dr. Nicholson's artificial ear drums, gave \$1000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 13, 854, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York.

### Advertising Does It.

What is it that induces people to send to Milwaukee, Chicago and even to New York for goods they could buy right here at home asks an exchange? The answer is advertising. The big catalogue houses spend large sums of money annually advertising in the newspapers and their circulars and catalogues may be found in nearly every house in the United States especially in the country districts. They give the price of each article saying nothing about freight and the customer never stops to think about his home merchant who probably trusted him for a big bill of goods last summer but here is the article he wants and there is the price, the order goes to the catalogue house and the purchaser pays the freight. The home merchant who does not advertise in the home paper has no kick coming. He has the opportunity to place before the people his goods and his prices, and at a much less expense than the foreign houses. He has not done so, and no one knows that he has goods for sale unless they happened into his place of business. If the merchants would advertise more and let people know what goods can be bought for at their stores there would be less money sent out of the country. The business man who thinks he is so well known that he does not need to advertise is very badly mistaken.

### AN UNUSUAL WILL.

How a Carson Farmer Provided for the Support of His Widow.

The will of John Cisher of the town of Carson, which was recently probated in county court, contained some provisions which are rarely found in wills in this country, though they are said not to be infrequent in old country documents of this kind. The farm was left to one of his sons, but it was provided, among other things, that he should support his mother during her natural life. How this should be done was minutely set forth, the will providing that he "shall provide for her use in the buildings on the farm one bedroom and one room with a stove and shall furnish yearly the following: Eight cords of stove wood for one stove, 300 pounds of wheat flour, 200 pounds of rye flour, 10 pounds of coffee, 200 pounds of pork, 15 bushels of potatoes, 25 heads of cabbage, 20 pounds of sugar, and shall keep and feed one cow, and if his mother is unable to milk the cow then he shall milk her cow and deliver to his mother one quart of milk every day and one pound of butter every week, and also have eggs every day.—Stevens Point Journal.

### High School Notes.

The Physics class spent the recitation period Friday listening to a very interesting lecture on "Fluids" accompanied by a number of experiments by Prof. Hambrecht. The physical apparatus at present in the laboratory enables the pupils to make experiments to a great extent on the subjects they have in hand. Richard Wiperman also took in the lecture and, although he has been thro' it all before, he still found it very interesting.

The rhetorical program in the high school this (Friday) afternoon will consist of speaking by the following members: Addie Baker, Wayne Rowland, Thomas Boyle, Joe Christman, Lucy Clossitt, Ella Dahlke, Ruth Emmons, Emma Erickson, Will Farris, Clayton Fournier, Gertrude Gaynor, Maggie Grainger.

A meeting of the athletic association was held last Monday for the purpose of forming a baseball nine.

State Inspector of High Schools W. D. Parker visited our school Thursday morning.

The second year class have finished Roman history and have begun French history.

The Forum program for tonight, Feb. 8, 1901, is as follows:

Bell Call.....  
Music.....  
Reading.....  
Declaration.....  
Essay.....  
Debate.....  
Affirmative.....  
Chas. Henschel.....  
Bell Call.....  
Declaration.....  
Music.....

### Smallpox Signs to Keep off Agents.

A report was brought to this city last week by a farmer living near Chili that in the town of York, Clark county, between 25 and 30 smallpox signs were exposed on farm houses indicating that there was an epidemic of the disease in that community. The News did not credit the report as the State Board of Health had no cognizance of these alarming conditions. It has since been learned that there is not a single case of smallpox in the township, but that the farmers purchased the cardboard signs and nailed them up conspicuously to frighten off agents for farm machinery who are said to be unusually thick about this season of the year.—Marshfield News.

### Low Rates to the South.

Excursion tickets at reduced rates are now being sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to the prominent resorts in the south, including Jacksonville, Fla., Mobile, Ala., New Orleans, La., Savannah, Ga., El Paso, Tex., which are good for return passage at any time prior to June 1st, 1901. Information regarding rates, routes, time, etc., can be obtained on application to any coupon ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

### THE SHIRT WAIST MAN.

He will Probably be in Evidence here Next Summer.

It seems from all that can be gathered that our merchants have during the past few weeks ordered a quantity of shirt waists for next summer's trade, which would indicate that they have faith that a few of our citizens at least are progressive enough to recognize a good thing when they see it even though they might run the chance of being called girlish for one season. So far as can be learned the purchasers have been rather light in their orders, as they have not been able to decide just how the new fad will affect the masculine portion of Grand Rapids. Should it become a fad, there would be a great sale when the first hot wave mended along this way, as none of the boys now have a supply, and an entire new outfit would have to be purchased.

However should the man portion of our beautiful little city prove too stern to countenance such frivolities, the goods would be a drag on the market.

The goods displayed by agents possessed all the attractive colors and features of the regular gents' negligee shirts and are made to wear with a collar same as the shirt.

There is no question but that they would be a mighty nice thing to wear on a hot day if it wasn't for the fact that they had been first popularized by women.

### Dairy Machinery Instruction.

A new department has been added to the instruction given dairy students at the University of Wisconsin. A new building and equipment is now provided for teaching the practical mechanics of dairy machinery.

A great many dollars may be saved or wasted every year by a butter maker or cheese maker in his care and management of the boiler, the engine, the pumps, valves, etc., of a factory. The repair bills, the fuel bills and the oil bills are a good indication of how well the operator understands his work. Many factories are located in the country some distance from a machine shop or a tin shop and the butter maker or the cheese maker needs some training that will fit him for making his own repairs.

The present class of 120 students is the first one to have the advantage of this new course. All dairy students in the future will spend one-fourth of their time in the shop. In the basement of this building are both high pressure and low pressure boilers. The students do the firing. Wood is burned under one boiler and coal under others. The fuel consumed is recorded and all the pipes and valves connected with the boiler are explained and their uses made plain. On the first floor is a room 40x60 feet in size where the students put up hangers and shafting, they learn to set separators properly and to calculate the size of pulleys needed to give a certain speed, they study the construction of boiler feed pumps and injectors, and learn all they can from taking a 10-horsepower engine apart and putting it together again.

The second floor is fitted up with benches at which the students learn to use the soldering iron; they also cut and fit iron pipe, repair globe valves, and are taught several different ways of lacing bells.

This shop work, together with the instruction in butter making, cheese making and milk testing which is given during the twelve weeks of the winter term, is a valuable addition to a man's equipment as a dairyman, a cheese maker or a creamery butter maker.

Three men from Wood county are attending the dairy school this winter: Joseph Y. Brandt, Blenker; Harry Cattanauch, Nasonville; John Peter Jensen, Rudolph.

### Injured by Rolling Log.

Alfred Willett was injured at Arpin last Saturday afternoon by a heavy log rolling over his body. He was taken to the home of his father-in-law, Ole Thompson, in the town of Richfield, and a messenger dispatched to this city on a bicycle, arriving here at 10 p. m. It was feared by those in attendance that he would not survive the night. After an examination Dr. Doege found the young man was in no danger of dying, though suffering intense pain. Willett is well known in this city.—Marshfield News.

### Valentine Party.

Won't you come to our Valentine party. We have planned it for one and all. There will be Valentines for every one. Both big and small. We assure you all a pleasant evening. Right up in the Foresters' hall. A dime at the door will admit you, and ten cents more will permit you to dine. On Thursday evening, Feb. 14, 1901, at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all by the Young Ladies' Sodality.

### For Sale Cheap.

A two story frame house of four rooms and four lots 51x135, with well, woodshed, nice lawn, shade trees, etc., on Milwaukee street, can be bought for \$600, on account of owner leaving town. This is worth investigating. Call at the Tribune office for further information.

### Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.'s and John E. Daly's drug stores.

## In Public Favor.

After tax paying time you need a Tonic.

Granulated sugar 17 lbs for...\$1  
New Cal. prunes, per lb.....4c  
Larsons Lily brand tomatoes solid pack per can.....8c  
Larsons special peas, tender and juicy per can.....9c  
Larsons Lily brand sauerkraut per quart.....8c  
Oat meal, the best money can buy, per pound.....2c  
Growler smoking tobacco, 1 lb packages.....18c

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West Side Grocer.

## Silence is Golden YET SELFISH.

Were we to remain silent the public would be longer in discovering that they can save from 40 to 60 per cent. on any piece of furniture they wish to purchase, or in other words, can obtain high grade furniture at a lower price than is paid to other dealers for an inferior quality.

**J. W. NATWICK,**

The Furniture Man.

## Valentines

A large and select assortment of fancy and Comic Valentines now on display in our windows. Don't forget the place.

**Sam Church's**  
DRUG STORE.

Patronize Home Industry by having your work done at the Riverside Steam Laundry. All work guaranteed. GEORGE BOYER, PROP. West Side, Near Commercial House.

**NEW SHOE SHOP.** All kinds of repairing on Boots and Shoes promptly and neatly done. C. F. WARD, Shop on River St. West Side.

## MINISTER IS SENTENCED.

Rev. W. O. Hanson of La Crosse  
Sent to Jail for Desertion.

## GETS THREE MONTHS.

In Jail Since June Awaiting Trial  
and will be Kept Till  
Year Expires.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Rev. Martin O. Hanson, whose escape during the past two years have kept him in hot water, was taken into the circuit court this morning and sentenced to serve three months in the county jail for deserting his wife and family. Hanson was extradited from Minnesota last June and has been in jail since waiting trial, therefore his time spent in jail will be nearly a year. The court took this into consideration. Before sentencing him a motion for a new trial was argued on the ground that the offense was not committed in Wisconsin but in Minnesota. But the court overruled the motion.

## FUNERAL OF A PRIEST.

Last Tribute is Paid to Rev. Father  
N. A. Rivers at Janesville.

Janesville, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The funeral of Father N. A. Rivers at St. Mary's church this morning was the largest gathering of that kind seen here in recent years. During the ceremony the church was crowded and hundreds were unable to gain admission. At 9:30 o'clock the attending clergy began the office for the dead. Solemn high mass was conducted at 10 o'clock. The Gregorian plain chant was rendered by the united choirs of St. Thomas church of Beloit and St. Patrick's and St. Mary's of this city. Father Boncher of Fond du Lac acted as celebrant with Dean E. M. McGinnity as deacon and Rev. J. Haherty of Rockford, Ill., as sub-deacon. Father Gachet was master of ceremonies and Charles H. St. Francis secretary. As a tribute, the sermon was preached by Rev. M. J. Ward of Beloit. About twenty-five priests from various parts of the state and northern Illinois were present.

## Other Deaths in the State.

Wausau, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Clarence Sheedy died of pneumonia. Portage, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Joseph La Blon, one of the old residents of Portage, died yesterday, aged 77 years. Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Louis Bultschneider, proprietor of the Grand hotel, died this morning, aged 62 years.

## TWO COUPLES ELOPE.

Four Young People Take a Team  
and Drive Away to Get Married.  
—Police Searching for Them.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The La Crosse police have received word to look out for two couples from Decorah, Ia., who have eloped. They started towards La Crosse, from that place, during the latter part of the week, and were supposed to have taken a team, and the four left at the same time. The police could find nothing to indicate that the parties in question stopped here, but they believe they must have headed for Wisconsin or other northern parts. It is undoubtedly the intention of the couples to get married, and their parents have taken every means to locate them that was possible. The elopers range in age from 18 to 23.

## DESIRE TO REMARRY.

La Crosse Couple Gets Divorce and  
Then Secures License to  
Wed Again.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—On Saturday, a divorce was granted to Mrs. Rachel Jones Novorotski from Walter Novorotski on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment. Today Mr. Novorotski took out a license to wed Mrs. Rachel Jones Novorotski and the couple will be reunited at the end of the five days required by the True law. The couple applied to Judge Brindley, who granted the divorce for a special permit to wed today, but the judge refused, as he does not approve of remarriage in such a short time after obtaining a separation.

## TO SUCCEED FATHER WELLES.

Rev. Lloyd E. Johnson of Louisville  
Called to Stevens Point.

Stevens Point, Wis., Feb. 5.—Rev. Lloyd E. Johnson of Louisville, Ky., has been called unanimously to succeed Bishop Conductor R. H. Waller as rector of the local Episcopal church. Mr. Johnson was formerly rector at Waukesha and Appleton.

## COULDN'T SAVE HIS LIFE.

Claude Miller of West Superior Dies  
of Shock.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—Claude Miller, the 16-year-old boy who dislocated his left arm and ruptured the brachial artery while coasting on a plank on the toboggan slide, died from the shock of the amputation which was made necessary by the inability of the surgeons to take up the artery.

## GRADUATE WITH HONORS.

Two Wisconsin Boys in Class at  
West Point.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—In a class of seventy-five to graduate from the West Point military academy are two Wisconsin boys, each in the ranks of the first fire, which are those who take the highest honors. One of the boys is Ernest Peck of this city.

## Old Book for Sale.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 5.—At the courthouse in this city a book has been placed on sale which was printed in 1620 and which is the property of Cornelius Brain of Kaukauna. The book is printed in French, Spanish and Dutch and is bound in pigskin.

## New Grass Twine Company.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—The Grass Twine Company, which was incorporated here with a capital stock of \$200,000. It will manufacture grass twine and matting and become a competitor of the Northwestern Grass Twine company.

## Sent to Insane Asylum.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Arthur Enstorf, who attempted suicide while lodged in a cell at the county jail, has been committed to the Northern Hospital for the Insane.

## Closing Farmers' Institute.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The closing farmers' institute will be held in this city on March 10, 20 and 21.

## ASKED TO CONSTRUCT A PECULIAR WILL.

Judge to Decide Who Owns One of  
Kenosha County's Most Valuable Farms.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—A petition has been filed in the county court by an attorney, representing the heirs of George Thompson, late of the town of Randall, asking the county judge to make a construction of the last will and testament of the late William Thompson and settle the question as to the ownership of the eighty-acre farm which was left by William Thompson at the time of his death in 1895. The will gives all the property to one Robert Richardson of Burton, Ill., to hold the same in trust for the son of William Thompson, George Thompson, who was regarded as an insane man by the testator. It also gives a certain sum to a sister of the testator, which was to be paid annually until the time of her death. The will was regularly probated, but long after the death of the older Thompson an unexpected event happened in the marriage of the surviving son. More lately the son has died and leaves behind a number of children who the attorney claims, should share in the estate. Henry Hastings has been appointed as administrator of the estate of the son, and he is now seeking to discover whether the land in question is still part of the estate of whether it shall be divided in trust as the property of Robert Richardson. A strong fight will be made both by the heirs of Richardson and by the sisters and brothers of George Thompson, to secure control of the property in question. It is alleged that the intention of William Thompson was to give the property as a support to his son, whom he considered as incapable of making a living, and on this account the other heirs claim that the property should revert to the heirs of William Thompson. The farm in litigation is one of the most valuable in the town of Randall and it is said to be worth a large sum of money.

## HAD \$20 GOLD PIECES.

Evidence in Paulson Murder Trial  
to Show Defendant Went Under  
Assumed Names.

Alma, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The first week of the Paulson murder trial has been very interesting. Forty-eight witnesses have been on the stand for the state, who have testified that the defendant used \$20 gold pieces when making purchases and passed himself off under different names. He is said to have had trouble with different parties with whom he came in contact in the vicinity of Posstown and Thier River Lake, where he spent his time until re-arrested in April, 1900, by E. W. Smith, marshal at Posstown, Minn. At Posstown he was known as Tom Flynn. It is said that while in Posstown Paulson made statements that he had lived in Muskegon, Mich. James E. Bihart of Thier Lake testified that he knew defendant as Tom Flynn and later corresponded with him under the name of John Riley, producing the letters.

## MURDERED IN CHICAGO.

Friends Search in Vain for Henry  
Segel of Waukesha Who Mysteriously Disappeared.

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The friends of Henry Segel, the missing Waukesha, Wis., man, now believe that he was murdered by Chicago thugs. The Knights of Pythias lodge with which Segel affiliated has appealed to all of the Chicago lodges to prosecute a search for the missing man. The theory is also advanced that Segel was followed to Chicago the day he disappeared by men who knew he had a large sum of money in his possession and who plotted his death.

Segel left here three weeks ago for his home in Waukesha county, Wis. He had been staying here for some time. It is known that he had a large sum of money which he carried with him. The last heard from Segel was the day he arrived in Chicago. From there no trace of him can be found.

## TWO MURDER TRIALS.

Sensational Cases on the Circuit  
Court Calendar at West  
Superior.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The February term of circuit court commenced today. The morning was taken up with the calling of the calendar. The case against Ada Arlington for murder will come up next Friday. Another case that will attract a great deal of interest will be the Chaylois murder case, in which William Chaylois is charged with smothering his wife's head with an axe. This will come up in a week.

## BLESS THEIR THROATS.

Five Thousand People Attend Ceremony at Marinette.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 5.—The ancient custom of blessing the throats was very generally observed by Marinette Catholics on St. Blas's day. In blessing the throat the priest places two lighted candles crossed, beneath the chin, and then repeats the words of blessing. It is supposed to protect one from the diseases prevailing during the winter and especially throat troubles. It is estimated that at least over 5000 people had their throats blessed.

## SUPERIOR MEN APPOINTED.

Col. Hoyt and Maj. Eaton on Staff of  
G. A. R. Commander.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Col. Charles C. Hoyt of this city has been appointed aide-de-camp, with the rank of colonel, on the staff of Leo Rassau, commander-in-chief of the National G. A. R. This makes two from Superior on the staff. Maj. Eaton having been appointed a couple of days ago. They will serve at the national encampment at Cleveland this summer.

## FREEZES TO DEATH.

Death of an Aged Man Near  
Ashland.

Ashland, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Thomas Quinn, a woodsman about 60 years of age, was found frozen to death near Glidden. Quinn was an employee of Leonard's camp, near Glidden, and is well known around Chippewa Falls and Eau Claire.

## Burglar is Routed.

Lady Smith, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Night watchman Erdmann discovered a man in the rear of Carpenter's saloon at 2:30 this morning apparently attempting to effect an entrance. He ran on being discovered and the watchman fired two shots. The fellow escaped to the river.

## Held on Serious Charge.

Keweenaw, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—John Gibbs and Joseph Crivillan, two young men of the town of Red River, are lodged in the county jail here pending the outcome of a trial for assault upon Mrs. Kate Vanderstappen, 68 years of age.

## SHOOTING IS COMMENCED.

Mrs. Nation's Anti-Saloon Crusade  
Becomes Serious.

## MEN GUARD JOINTS.

Kansas Woman Wrecks a Restaurant  
Before Breakfast Today and is  
Placed Under Arrest.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 5.—At 5:30 o'clock this morning Mrs. Nation and five of her followers wrecked the Senate saloon. Mrs. Nation was injured. The police have her in charge. One shot was fired. Mrs. Nation arose at 1:30 and soon afterward started on a tour of the "joints." Accompanied by Mrs. J. P. White and Miss Madeline Southard, she attempted to enter a place at 820 Kansas avenue. The man on duty was taken unawares, but managed to disarm Mrs. Nation and lock the door before any of the party could enter. Mrs. Nation afterwards said her friends held her and prevented her going in through the window. The next place visited was 106 Kansas avenue. The women entered without meeting resistance, but a colored man quickly seized Mrs. Nation and took her hatchet. In the saloon Mrs. Nation was struck on the right temple by the hatchet, but she did not get disabled. She and one of the hatchet carriers, two large slot machines and smashed the glass in front of each. A large refrigerator and the bar fixtures were quickly demolished. All the liquors behind the bar were spilled on the floor. With a hatchet Mrs. Nation knocked in the head of a barrel of beer. The beverage spouted out and completely drenched her. At this juncture the colored porter discharged his revolver into the ceiling to frighten the crusaders.

Policeman Graham was attracted by the shot and rushed to Mrs. Nation to the police station. Here she and her little band of followers held a short praise service and lectured those in charge of the saloon.

## Another Round Begun.

After a brief hearing Mrs. Nation was dismissed and immediately began another round of the "speakeasies." The saloon at 406 Kansas avenue, wrecked during Mrs. Nation's first round this morning, is one of the finest and most complete in its equipment of any in the city. It was fitted up with hand-some cherry bar, a mirror at the end of the room was valued at \$500. Probably \$1500 worth of property was destroyed in this place alone.

## Yesterday's Performance.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Nation and band of six women met defeat and were routed in an attempt to wreck a saloon here yesterday afternoon. Before the little crowd of hatchet-armed women would give up their attempt there was a fierce battle in the street, in which men and women fought, the women vainly trying to force an entrance to a place guarded by men hired for the purpose, while a mob of more than 1000 people jeered and cheered. Mrs. Nation, rushed and disarmed, was led away by police and her associates, losing courage, gave up the attempt.

Eyes were blackened and noses smashed during the battle, but the saloon fixtures remained unscathed. Mrs. Nation was arrested for disturbing the peace and released on her own recognizance. The saloon men have negroes hired to watch their places of business and they have orders to shoot any person who attempts to enter but on mischief.

Mrs. Nation announced yesterday that a raid would be made on a dance and a saloon today. Nine women volunteered to aid her and the band went to the hatchets. While they were buying the hatchets there came in a woman who said her son had spent all of his money in Murphy's place the night before.

"Well, let's go and smash it right now," said Mrs. Nation, and the other women agreed.

Mrs. Nation Leads Attack.

Surrounded by her army, Mrs. Nation led the way down Kansas avenue. She was followed by hundreds of people, who tramped behind and before her in the deep snow, shouting like a mob. Mrs. Nation had no hatchet. She stopped at a store and bought one. The procession went on until the Unique restaurant, 116 East Sixth street, was reached. A few minutes before 3 o'clock. Then the women, led by Mrs. Nation, made a rush for the door. The hatchet was jerked from her hand by a stout man, and the women were forced back.

A fierce fight followed between the restaurant men and Mrs. Nation's defendants. For a number of an hour they struggled in the street, while the mob yelled encouragingly to Mrs. Nation. The police seemed without power to stop the battle. Finally, in despair, they arrested Mrs. Nation and took her to jail. The crowd followed her and the restaurant was left unharmed. Mrs. Nation was not injured.

## Wreck Saloons at McCune.

McCune, Kas., Feb. 5.—Fifteen women armed with hatchets and clubs destroyed two saloons here. The crusaders assembled at a dry-goods store with their weapons under their blankets. They passed out of the rear of the store and walked down an alley to the back door of one of the saloons. They were in the barroom before their presence was detected. The bartender and his wife downed and escaped through the front door, leaving the place at the mercy of the women.

In less than a minute there was not a whole glass or mirror in the place. The women with hatchets broke the liquor legs, allowing their contents to spill on the floor. The women then crossed the street to the other saloon. The place was locked, but the door yielded to the hatchet. The women pleaded with the women not to destroy the goods, promising to leave town, but they proceeded to smash the fixtures and spill the liquor. The women then separated and returned to their homes. They were veiled, but it is said all are wives of prominent citizens.

## SHOT IN THE MOUTH.

Secretary Everett of United States  
Legation at Guatemala City,  
Commits Suicide.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 5.—A cablegram received here from United States Minister Hunter, at Guatemala City, states that Sydney E. Everett, secretary and charge of the United States legation there, committed suicide yesterday by shooting in the mouth. He had suffered a long illness, and it is understood that the act was committed in a temporary aberration of mind.

Mr. Everett was appointed from Massachusetts, being a son of a former chief of the diplomatic bureau of the state department. He was appointed to the consular service as consul at Batavia in May, 1897, and was appointed to Guatemala City June 19 last. His parents are residents of Washington.

## CAPTURED BY THE BOERS.

British Stronghold at Medderfontein  
is Taken.

## MARCH OF INVASION.

Dewet Engaged in Fomenting Rebellion  
Among the Dutch Settlers  
in Cape Colony.

London, Feb. 4.—Kitchener reports the capture of another stronghold by the Boer fighters, not far from Krugersdorp, where one of the largest forces of the British is stationed.

Following is Lord Kitchener's dispatch received by the war office:  
Pretoria, Feb. 2.—One post at Medderfontein, on the Gatedam, southwest of Krugersdorp, was attacked by 1000 Boers. The relief column sent out from Krugersdorp failed to prevent the fall of the post. No details are yet at hand, but officers and men captured at the post are arriving at Vereeniging.

## On a Dark, Rainy Night.

Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief in South Africa, reports to the war office as follows, from Pretoria:

"Our casualties at Medderfontein were two officers killed and two wounded. It appears that the post was rushed on a pitch-dark night, during a heavy rain, the enemy numbering 1400 with two guns. Campbell, south of Middleburg, engaged 500 Boers, who were driven back. Our casualties were twenty killed or wounded. French is near Bethel, moving east and driving the enemy with slight opposition. Four of our ambulances, while seeking wounded, were captured. The doctors were released. Dewet's force is reported south of Dwyersburg."

## Boers in Portuguese Territory.

Another dispatch was received from Laurence Marques which says that there is a commando of 2000 Boers on Portuguese territory. It is supposed that their intention is to rescue the Boers imprisoned there.

The Portuguese authorities have decided to remove to Madeira such Boer refugees as decline to surrender to the British.

The only comforting piece of news comes from Bloemfontein, which announces that the British have reconquered Petersburg.

Gen. Dewet is believed to be making progress in his march of invasion of Cape Colony. Dutch settlers in the southeastern part of the colony will be armed to join the Boer forces. This may precipitate a general rising of the Afrikaners. Gen. Dewet's latest efforts, marked from the time he crossed the colony border, have been directed not so much against British posts as toward the aim of fomenting a general rebellion among the directly subject Dutch and Afrikaner elements in the various districts. He studiously avoids conflicts with the English arms for the present, hoping to have gathered sufficient strength to engage in a pitched battle.

The territory selected by Dewet in the southwestern portion of the colony is inhabited altogether by Boer sympathizers and it is believed that his army has already been greatly increased.

Laurence Marques, Feb. 4.—In view of the possibility of a Boer raid all the ammunition surrendered by laagers at Komatiport has been loaded on lighters and moored in the bay.

## CRITICISM OF LONG.

Sampson-Schley Controversy in the  
Way of Action on Certain Naval  
Appointments.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—The Sampson-Schley controversy was precipitated in the Senate by Mr. Chandler, who read and criticized the letter of Secretary Long to Senator Morgan. Mr. Hale explained what had been done for the naval officers, and referred to the nominations sent in during the last Congress. He said that owing to the Sampson-Schley controversy they could not be acted upon before the Congress expired. He said he expected the nominations would be sent in again this Congress, but no action had been taken by the executive.

Mr. Chandler said there were many mistakes in the letter of the secretary. Mr. Pettigrew declared the whole trouble arose because the President and secretary desired to promote Sampson, who, he said, was not in the battle, over Schley, who did the fighting. The administration, he said, seemed to promote men who did no fighting during the Spanish war.

Mr. Teller criticized the publication of the letter and said the secretary knew how to communicate with the Senate if he desired to do so.  
Mr. Morgan said he did not know how the letter got into print. This closed the incident.

## JEALOUSY LEADS TO SUICIDE.

Wealthy Man Dies After a Quarrel  
with His Wife.

Patterson, N. J., Feb. 4.—A sensational suicide shocked Patterson when John Deritter, a wealthy contractor and mason, ended his life by drinking cyanide acid after having a violently jealous quarrel with his wife. Deritter had for the past three years been away from home three nights a week, presumably on business. His wife learned from her son that the father had been living a double life.

The woman upbraided her husband, threatened exposure and divorce. Deritter was taken by surprise, left the house hurriedly and in the back yard drank the fatal dose and was beyond help when a physician arrived. He was the father of eight children and for twenty years had been in business here. The name of the other woman in the case is unknown. She is said to be young and beautiful.

## ATE "DOCTORED" PORK.

One Person Dead and Four Others of  
a Family Seriously Sick.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 4.—As a result of eating pork supposed to have been "doctored" with some sort of preservative, a whole family was poisoned. Mrs. Ann Fox, widow of a former well-known coal operator, is dead, and the following are seriously ill: Mrs. Ellen Cuddy, a widowed daughter of Mrs. Fox; Ella McCartney, a grand-daughter of Mrs. Fox; Thomas Cuddy, a grandson; James T. Fox and Harry M. Fox.  
All six of the family ate supper Saturday night and within a short time afterward all were writhing in agony. Prompt medical attention saved all except Mrs. Fox, who died during the night. The others, though in a critical condition, may recover.

## McKinley Accepts Invitation.

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 4.—President Wheeler of the University of California received a telegram stating that President McKinley will accept his invitation to address the students of the university on commencement day, May 15.

## Bank Charters Extended.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—The House has passed the bill for the extension of the charters of national banks.

## BIG DAMAGES FOR WOUNDED AFFECTIONS.

Miss Bessie E. Shelburn of Dancy  
Sues Hans Larsen of Waupaca  
for Breach of Promise.

Stevens Point, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Judgment for \$10000 damages and costs has been awarded to Miss Bessie E. Shelburn of Dancy in her breach of promise suit against Hans Larsen of Waupaca. The judgment was taken by default, the defendant failing to appear.

## PROVOKED FIGHT WITH A BULLDOG.

Woodman Gets the Worst of an  
Encounter at Nathan, Mich.  
May Not Recover.

Marquette, Wis., Feb. 5.—Paul Brunette, a woodman, is likely to die as the result of an encounter he provoked with a ferocious bulldog in the saloon of Erickson & Anderson at Nathan, Mich. Brunette had been warned to look out for the animal, but to show his contempt for danger he laid down on the floor beside the dog. The latter made a lunge and his teeth closed over the man's throat. Bystanders pulled off the infuriated animal, but not until one side of Brunette's neck and part of his face was torn away. It is thought he cannot recover.

## LOSES SWEETHEART THROUGH BLUNDER.

While Getting Matters Straightened  
Out Flancee Falls in Love with  
His Brother.

Waukesha, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Miss Jennie Seidel and Frank Schneider of Lake Five took out a marriage license on January 7, and last week Miss Seidel appeared at the clerk's office and asked for a license to marry William Schneider, a brother of the man whom she had previously taken out a license to marry. She explained that the priest had refused to marry her to Frank, because he already had one wife, so she had decided to marry his brother William. It now develops that Frank Schneider came to the city some time ago and consulted Attorney E. W. Chafin in regard to securing a divorce. Later Mr. Chafin wrote to him and told him how to commence action. Schneider evidently thought Mr. Chafin's letter was a divorce as he vowed and won Miss Seidel and took out a license to marry her but when he presented the letter to the priest he found out to his sorrow, that he was still a married man. He came immediately to the city to see Mr. Chafin about the matter, but in the meantime Jennie had fallen in love with his brother William and they are to be married this week.

## MUNICIPAL LEAGUE IS TURNED DOWN.

Common Council of Prairie du Chien  
Won't Grant Saloon Licenses  
According to Law.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The common council last evening turned down a petition offered by the Municipal Improvement league asking that liquor licenses be granted only in strict regard to the law. Permission was given to C. Ecker, a saloonkeeper, to transfer his license to the Metropolitan Opera house, where entertainments were held there. Citizens are indignant and trouble is expected.

## PRIEST'S ROBES ARE SET ON FIRE.

Father Fitzmaurice of Appleton Has  
a Narrow Escape from Being  
Burned to Death.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The robes worn by Father Fitzmaurice of St. Mary's church took fire and for a moment threatened serious consequences. The fire was extinguished by the quick work of the assistants and a stampede was averted. The priest continued the services as if nothing had happened.

## WRONG MAN APPEARS.

Father and Son Get Mixed as to  
Which One is Charged with  
Misdemeanor.

Kaukauna, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—A Kaukauna attorney came all the way to Kaukauna yesterday to defend the case of another Kaukauna man, who accompanied him, but who proved to be the wrong man. Some time ago John Melchor, Jr., who supplies the Kaukauna saloonkeepers with the Menasha Brewing company's beer, was arrested for doing so without a license and cited to appear February 4 before Justice A. C. Koch for trial. Melchor, Jr., went home and told his father, John Melchor, proprietor of the brewery, that he was wanted February 4, at Kaukauna for breaking the law and so yesterday the elder Melchor appeared with his lawyer, only to be told that the action was brought against John Melchor, Jr., and as this gentleman was not to be found, court had to adjourn.

## FOUND DEAD IN BED.

John H. Adams of New York Dies  
While Visiting at Lake Mills.

Lake Mills, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—John H. Adams, aged 64, of Buffalo, N. Y., visiting his sister, Mrs. Ezra Carr, was found dead in bed, having died during the night of paralysis of the heart.

## KILLS HIMSELF IN A SALOON.

Chippewa County Farmer Drinks Car-  
bolic Acid and Dies.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Olof Johnson, aged 35, unmarried, committed suicide in a saloon this morning by taking carbolic acid. He was a farmer in the town of Lafayette.

## The Photograph in Navigation.

At the last meeting of the Berlin polytechnic society an engineer named Loiser explained a new kind of photograph for service at sea, writes a Berlin correspondent. By coupling together several membranes, between each of which a microphone is fixed, he has succeeded in so strengthening the tone emitted by all sound that any noise can be heard for a distance of three sea miles. It is suggested that by means of this invention, commander at sea will be able to issue his orders to all the ships in his fleet, and that in the same manner ships will be able to communicate with each other in the densest fog. Of course, it would be equally useful on land, and railway accidents, it is thought, may be also greatly diminished, as warnings could be given at long distances apart.

## Breaks His Hip.

Prairie du Sac, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Philo Carpenter fell on the sidewalk and broke his hip.

## A Substitute for Benzine.

For years a substitute for benzine has been in demand. The objectionable points about benzine are its high inflammability and volatility, the danger of poisoning the atmosphere, etc. This was one of the chief topics of discussion at last year's chemical congress at Hannover, and this fall the subject came up once more at the meeting at Cassel, when a premium of about \$250 was offered for an effective substitute for benzine, or for means of rendering it less dangerous. Here is a good chance for American genius.—Consular report from Germany.

Chronic Nasal Catarrh poisons every breath that is drawn into the lungs. There is procurable from any druggist the remedy for its cure. A small quantity of Ely's Cream Balm placed into the nostrils spreads over an inflamed and angry surface, relieves immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses, heals and cures. Drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, use Ely's Cream Balm. It is reliable and will cure catarrh, cold in the head and hay fever easily and pleasantly. All druggists sell it at 50 cents, or it will be mailed by Ely Brothers, 50 Warren St., N. Y.

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## Runs Two Years Without Winding.

A Jefferson City (Mo.) Jeweler has a clock



New Disease is Threatened.  
Are Londoners to live on tins? That is the question which is being asked by a large section of the population of the great metropolis. The city is so crowded that many of the people who live in the old houses are in a state of constant discomfort, and the process of extension proceeds there will be few thoroughfares of any importance which are not subject to the same trouble—a trouble that turns out to be a very serious one for many of the people who live in the old houses. The worst of the outlook is that it is impossible to anticipate the direction which new lines will follow, so that a house taken upon a long lease may become subject to the same trouble. The effect of this new trouble is sure to tell upon the nerves of Londoners, and some description of the trouble will be among the headlines of the future.—London Daily Telegraph.

**PRESIDENT OF PRESIDENTS.**  
**A Distinguished Lady, Indeed, Is Mrs. Mary E. Poole, of Whiting, Ind.**  
Whiting, Ind., Feb. 4, 1901.—(Special.)—The presidents of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic have an association composed exclusively of the presidents of the different State associations. This Presidents' Association chooses a president, and to this very high and distinguished position Mrs. Mary E. Poole of this place has been elected. Mrs. Poole is thoroughly deserving of this great honor. Her devotion to the interests of the association is very marked, and her experience with the old soldiers of the G. A. R. is wide. Mrs. Poole is never slow to take advantage of anything that may benefit the veterans, and her zeal has resulted in much that is good to these grand old men. She writes of her experiences: "Honor to whom honor is due, and having seen the numerous cures effected through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I gladly endorse them as being particularly effective to cure that dreaded disease of so many of our old soldiers, Bright's Disease, and Kidney Disorders of different kinds. Kidney Disease soon poisons the entire system, and as a result the vital organs are attacked, and I have found that no remedy so surely, completely and quickly finds the weak spot and heals it as Dodd's Kidney Pills."  
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**Overland Journey Too Hard for Dogs.**  
J. E. Keats, one of the earliest settlers of Atchison county, Kas., is dead. In the '50s Mr. Keats was a freighter across the plains. Once he walked from Salt Lake City to Atchison in thirty-eight days. An Atchison man once told the writer that Keats boasted the ownership of a dog that had walked all the way from the Missouri river to Sacramento, Cal., and that no other dog had ever made this trip on foot. It was a fact well known among plainmen that dogs could not stand a trip across the plains and the mountains. In the earlier stages they chased rabbits and coyotes until they wore themselves out. Keats probably had a dog that kept itself under the wagon and attended strictly to business.—Kansas City (Mo.) Journal.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube re-opened to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; also cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.  
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**A Remedy for the Grippe.**  
Physicians recommend KEMP'S BAL-SAM as a remedy for patients afflicted with the grip, as it is especially adapted for the throat and lungs. Do not wait for the first symptoms of the disease, but get a bottle to-day and keep it on hand for use the moment it is needed. If neglected the grip has a tendency to bring on pneumonia. KEMP'S BAL-SAM prevents this by keeping the cough loose and the lungs free from inflammation. All druggists sell KEMP'S BAL-SAM at 25c and 50c.

**Large Telescopes Show More Stars.**  
Today the stars visible from the first to the thirteenth magnitude aggregate to about 43,000,000, of which nearly 10,000,000 have been photographed. Of the most powerful telescopes even the twentieth magnitude has been recorded; of this magnitude perhaps 100,000,000 stars are suspected, but knowledge concerning them is uncertain. In the Milky Way alone there are some 10,000 stars, separated by vast distances. To the eye at the telescope the sky seems no longer dotted with constellations, but powdered with gold dust.—Indianapolis News.

**What Do the Children Drink?**  
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it 15c and 25c.

**American Flag a Totem.**  
The Sixty Indians have long quarreled over their clan totem, but recently they have held a grand festival and wisely agreed to make the American flag their only totem.

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Moors the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25c and 50c.  
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## Some Washington Stories.

The Washington correspondent of the New York World says there is a fishing boat with many congressional members that has a clubhouse on the Potomac. Recently a new house committee took hold. After its first meeting these were the proceedings:  
1. If any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned.  
2. If, after being warned, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned again.  
3. If, after being warned for the second time, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned for the third and last time.  
4. If, after being warned for the third and last time, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be considered hopeless and left to his own devices.

"If an empty barrel weighs ten pounds, what can you fill it with to make it weigh seven pounds?" asked Senator Dewey of Senator Spooner.  
"Have to give it up," replied Mr. Spooner.  
"Fill it full of holes," answered Mr. Dewey, and they both laughed.

The best evidence of Senator Vest's recuperation is the fact that he is again telling stories. Recently, in the cloak-room, one of Mr. Vest's colleagues gave an exhibition of absent-mindedness, which recalled to the Missouri senator an incident which happened in his state, says the Washington Post.

"I was at a mass meeting once upon a time," said Mr. Vest, "when we discussed a resolution of some kind or other for several hours. Finally one of the delegates began a speech which wandered all over creation. Someone interrupted him with the remark that he ought to confine his remarks to the resolution."

"Yes," said Judge Phillips, who was presiding, "the gentleman must speak to the resolution."

"Let us have the resolution read," suggested someone in the meeting.  
"Judge Phillips stooped down and whispered to the absent-minded secretary. 'Read the resolution,' he said."

"What resolution?"  
"The one we have been discussing for several hours," replied Judge Phillips.  
"The resolution was hunted for high and low, but could not be found. On the secretary's desk there was a lot of paper which looked as if it had been nibbled by a mouse. It was all that remained of the resolution. The absent-minded secretary had eaten the rest."

Ex-Czar Thomas B. Reed strolled out of the Senate restaurant the other day smoking a cigar. He is much thinner than when he was in Washington, and his clothes hang on him loosely.

"What have you been doing to take off that flesh?" asked a friend.  
"Nothing," replied Mr. Reed; "nothing. It just went."

"Seems familiar around here, I suppose," the friend went on.  
"Yes," said Reed, "especially in the Senate restaurant."

Without waiting to fathom this utterance, another friend put in: "Not mixing in politics any more?"  
"No," not mixing. Employed six days a week in making money. Domestic occupation. Terrible stuff. And yet," mused Mr. Reed, "he started for the Supreme court, 'most of these rich men have it.'"

"Inc." A. W. Smith of Adrian, Mich., was in Washington recently, trying to discover from the Michigan senators whether or not he will be allowed to keep his place as postmaster of Adrian for the next four years.

Everybody calls Mr. Smith "Doc." Smith explains his title by saying: "I suppose nearly everybody who calls me 'Doc' has this in mind. I bought a farm near Adrian once. The biggest crop I could raise for years was burdock. The neighbors, in a spirit of fun, began to call my place 'Smith's doc farm.' From that it was an easy change to 'Doc Smith's farm,' and now I am 'Doc Smith' to everybody. Better than a diploma, don't you think?"

Mr. Smith is a big, smooth-shaven man, who carries a long coat and a white tie. He is a very friendly fellow, and when he was in Detroit he went into a store to buy a hat. He chose a silk tie and asked how much it was.

"Eight dollars," said the hatter, "but we make a discount to your profession. To you the hat will be \$6."

Smith put the hat on again, looked in the glass for a moment and said: "Well, as you make a reduction for my profession I'll take the hat, and if the conversation don't like it they can go to hell!"

Last winter two little children were standing in front of the main entrance to the Senate chamber, when Senator Chandler and a friend came through the door. One of them, a little girl of 11, burning with curiosity, stepped up to them and asked: "Mister, how much does it cost to go in there?" "You had better ask that gentleman coming up the corridor," said the senator from New Hampshire, pointing to Senator Clark of Montana, who was leisurely approaching the entrance.

## GREASE USED AT LAUNCHINGS

Big Cast of Getting a Battleship Into the Water.

"The mere act of getting a war vessel into the water costs a lot of money, time and trouble," said an engineer, speaking of the recent launching of several new torpedo-boats. "I spent a year and a half in the designing room of the Grampus," he continued, "and happen to know what I am talking about. Of course, the launching of a little torpedo-boat is comparatively easy, and the cost is not over a few hundred dollars, including flowers and souvenirs and even the bottle of champagne used in the christening. But when it comes to a big armored cruiser or a first-class battleship it is a horse of a different color, and the actual expense seldom falls below \$400,000 or \$500,000. I've known it to go as high as \$800,000."

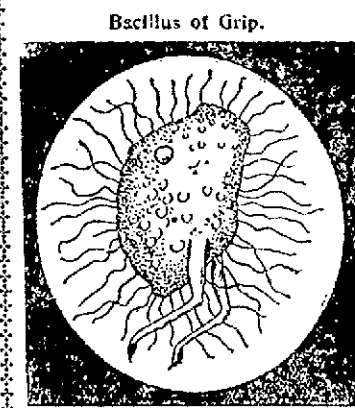
"The building of the ways for the ship to slide down over is the main item, and then comes the greasing. Every inch of timber over which the vessel slides must be covered with a lubricant. Different firms use different substances, but soap and tallow form the main ingredients of them all. At the Grampus we used a layer of lard tallow and a layer of soft soap, and tallow altogether between one and one and a half tons of the stuff was required to put a move on the average battleship. The tallow is spread on first, to the depth of about three fingers, and the workmen use big flat trowels to make the surface as smooth as possible. Then they pour over the soft soap, which is just thick enough to run, or about the consistency of tar."

"As a general thing the double greasing answers the purpose admirably, and the ship slides into the water as if it was sailing on air. If it sticks, as has happened in a few cases, it is likely to spring some of its plates, and nothing is scarier than to see a ship stuck in the water and not able to move."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Mr. Le Jeune: "Well, Miss Coldcash, I suppose you received a good many birthday cards?" Miss Coldcash (sweetly): "Oh, yes; and there was one particularly dainty and artistic. I am sure it came from you." Mr. Le Jeune (identified): "What makes you think so?" Miss Coldcash: "Because I sent it to you on your last birthday."—Pitt-Bits.

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Miss Frances M. Anderson of Washington, D. C., daughter of Judge Anderson of Virginia, says: "I was taken very ill with the grip. I took Peruna and was able to leave my bed in a week."

Mrs. Harriette A. S. Marsh, President of the Woman's Benevolent Association of Chicago, writes: "I suffered with grip seven weeks. Nothing helped me. Tried Peruna and within three weeks I was fully restored. Shall never be without it again."

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A rich strike has been made at Sunshine, Cal., in Detroit mine No. 1. An assay showed over fifty ounces of \$1000 in gold per ton of ore.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Endsley, Vanburn, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

At Hampton, La., Mrs. Charles Jernegan died from blood poisoning as the result of having a tooth pulled.

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Grand Rapids, Wis., Feb. 9, 1901.

## THAT SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Wood county farmers should be thankful for one thing, and that is that if the ship subsidy bill is passed that probably some time in the future when they wish to take a trip to Europe they can go over on a boat built by American workmen, manned by American seamen and commanded by an American captain. We do not know as any of our farmer friends will ever care to take a trip abroad, but if they should there is nothing like being prepared. Then another advantage will be that the farmer will know that his wheat, if he happens to be raising wheat, will be carried across the pond in a ship, to the building of which, he has proudly contributed his share of a certain ninety millions of dollars that it will cost to keep the little game running. We do not see where he will share in the profits of the scheme but then there is no need to worry about the matter, any republican newspaper can explain this part of the thing to the satisfaction of the editor of the paper, at least.

It is amusing to see the manner in which many republican papers are trying to justify the steal, for it is no better than a steal. A great many of these alleged newspapers are not saying anything about the measure for the reason that they do not know anything about it and are afraid to say anything for fear that it will be the wrong thing, while others are running plates that they buy in Chicago thinking that these evidently will cover the ground better than they could do it if they studied the matter up. Others have made a few inoffensive cracks about "nursing infant industries," etc., that were pitiable in the extreme. It would be interesting to know how they discovered that shipbuilding was an "infant" industry. It must be a case of "second childhood."

It cannot be that even republicans appreciate that the ship subsidy bill is a gigantic fake from start to finish, that it would rob the poor that the rich might be made richer, that it is founded on and bolstered up by misrepresentation and false statements, that it is one of the most bare faced steals that has ever been attempted in this great and glorious country. Certainly not, for it is only democrats that would think of doing anything crooked.

Republican papers say that during the last 40 years our exports have increased four times, but during this same time American shipping has decreased two-thirds! Doesn't this look very much like a perfectly natural death?

Suppose one of our railroads here should start in from today and gradually run down in equipment until in the course of forty years it was only able to handle one-third the business it is now doing, notwithstanding that our city had increased so much that our commerce was four times what it is today, the cause of their downfall being that the road was unable to procure coal as cheaply as the other railroads, would there be any excuse for our people to vote them a subsidy of \$50,000 or more a year simply because one of the directors of the busted road lived in this city while the directors of all the other roads lived in Chicago or New York? Of course there would not, and all of our people can easily understand the case, as it is right at home.

When the Northwestern people talked of building their road here we did not notice any of our citizens tumbling over themselves to grant them aid or make them presents of right of way. Well, hardly. They just tacked on a price that was about double what the property was worth, (or would sell for, we should say, as property is worth all you can get for it), and generally got their price, too. And yet the Northwestern road was an infant industry so far as this place was concerned, and should have been protected. The people's plan was all right. The simplest man knew that if the coupling of the road was not going to be a paying investment for the road, it would be nonsense to induce it to come. So it is with American ship owners. If they cannot make a living out of the business without the American public going down into its pocket and handing over 90,000,000 of dollars, the best thing they can do is to go into something that they can make a living at. It is not a paying investment for one man it will not be a paying investment for the whole nation.

We should like to know what possible difference it would make to one of our farmer friends out in Sigel whether the wheat he raises is shipped across the ocean in an American ship or not; still he will have to pay his share of the ninety millions.

We are told that with the stimulus that the subsidy would give our merchant marine there would immediately commence a freight war that would bring rates much below what they are now. This is the veriest twaddle of all. If they could cut rates under those circumstances one would think that by plodding along and attending strictly to business and not cutting rates they would be able to carry at a profit under the circumstances now existing.

When we say it would be a gigantic steal from the people we do not mean that the men who want the bill passed are thieves. So far as we know they may be honest men and we hope for the good of the country that they are, and they may never see a cent of the money, but we do think that the public would be fleeced out of ninety millions of dollars each year and not receive any return therefor.

## Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL ROOMS, February 8, 1901.

Council met in regular session, Mayor Goggins being absent. President Wood presided.

Aldermen present: Wood, Lutz, Reiland, Farrish, Krueger, Pratt, Bunde, Otto, Ambler, Oberbeck, Schmal, Rossier, Hill and Boles.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The street committee together with Alderman Pratt reported that the wagon bridge across the river was in poor and dangerous condition. The committee was then authorized to have the bridge repaired at once.

The city engineer reported as to the water flow from the northwest part of the city to Rademacher and Young's creeks. The matter of draining that part of the city together with the city engineer's report was on motion referred to the aldermen from the fifth ward.

The committee appointed to recommend the amount of salaries to be paid to the several city officers, report such amounts as follows:

Mayor, \$100 per year.  
City Clerk, \$250 per year.  
City Treasurer, \$300 per year.  
City Attorney, \$150 per year.  
Assessor, \$3 per day for actual work.  
Day Police, \$420 per year.  
Night Police, \$350 per year.

Moved and carried that the report be amended so that the day police shall receive \$480 per year, and the night police receive \$420 per year.

Report as amended was adopted. The committee to whom was referred the petitions of the Princeton & Northwestern Railway Co., asking the vacation of certain portions of Franklin and Wisconsin streets, west side, made the following reports:

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the said city of Grand Rapids: We, the undersigned committee, to whom was referred a petition, praying for the vacation of a certain portion of Franklin street, beg to report as follows:

We find the above petition to be signed by the requisite number of signers as required by statute.

We further report that notice was duly posted in three public places in the said city of Grand Rapids, that said petition would be acted upon by the common council of the said city of Grand Rapids on this 5th day of February, A. D. 1901.

We recommend that ordinance No. 71, vacating all that portion of Franklin street prayed for, be passed by your honorable body.

Dated February 5th, A. D. 1901.  
JOHN SCHNABEL,  
N. REILAND,  
G. M. HILL,  
DAVID LUTZ, JR.,  
Committee.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the said city of Grand Rapids: We, the undersigned committee, to whom was referred a petition, praying for the vacation of a certain portion of Wisconsin street, beg to report as follows:

We find the said petition to be signed by the requisite number of signers, as required by statute.

We further report that notice was duly posted in three public places in the said city of Grand Rapids, that said petition would be acted upon by the common council of the said city of Grand Rapids on this 5th day of February, A. D. 1901.

We recommend that ordinance No. 72, vacating all that portion of Wisconsin street prayed for, be passed by your honorable body.

Dated February 5th, A. D. 1901.  
JOHN SCHNABEL,  
N. REILAND,  
G. M. HILL,  
DAVID LUTZ, JR.,  
Committee.

Reports accepted and ordinances unanimously adopted (may be seen in legal form.)

We, the committee to whom was referred the question of disputed title to lot 13, block 31, Neeve's addition to the city of Grand Rapids, report that we entered into an agreement with the parties claiming title, and recommend that same be approved and that the mayor and clerk be authorized to execute the deed as stipulated and agreed upon.

(Signed.)  
N. REILAND,  
H. S. BOLES,  
W. E. WUEBLAN,  
Committee.

(The above agreement is on file.)  
Mrs. Geo. R. Gardner, Clark Lyon, Martin Sear, James McDonough and Grand Rapids Lumber Co. asked for rebate on tax on account of error in assessment. The same was referred to the finance committee to report at the next meeting.

The West Side Fire Company's howling alley tax was on motion authorized rebated.

The following petition of the Consolidated Water Power Company, signed by from 250 to 275 tax-payers, was presented to the council:

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin: We, the undersigned, residents and taxpayers of said city, respectfully represent and petition as follows:

WHEREAS, The Consolidated Water Power company, a corporation, the business and purposes of which is the purchase and improvement of water powers and lands on the Wisconsin river, and the renting and sale of the same, and the renting and sale of all such mills, machinery, fixtures and tools, if any, that may be or have been acquired by said corporation in the purchase of water power and lands, is the owner of the greater portion of the shores, water power and riparian rights and privileges thereto appurtenant, of the Wisconsin river within the limits of the city of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, as it now runs through said city, and

WHEREAS, The said Consolidated Water Power company contemplates the further development and improvement of the water power of said Wisconsin river within the corporate limits of this city in order that the same may be more fully utilized and to this end propose to build, construct and maintain a dam in said river at this point, capable of furnishing at least five thousand (5,000) horsepower, as soon as and as rapidly as the same can be conveniently done, said dam to be built at a cost of about seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), provided, the common council of said city of Grand Rapids will pass an ordinance or resolution agreeing, on its part, that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit, for a period of five years, such portion of the taxes as may be legally levied and assessed on said dam and

all other real estate owned and used by said Consolidated Water Power company, its successors or assigns, in the improvement and development of said water power, as shall be in excess of what the taxes thereon during each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation for the year 1900, intending hereby that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit any and all taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property on account of improvements made by said company, its successors or assigns during said period of five years, said period of five years commencing with the first year's taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property after the first day of January, 1902, and

WHEREAS, Nels Johnson and J. D. Witter, together with certain other persons, contemplate the formation and organization of a corporation, the business and purpose of which shall be the building, erection, construction and operation of a power house, paper mill and pulp mill, to be run and operated in connection with said dam within the corporate limits of the city of Grand Rapids, at a cost of from at least two hundred thousand to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, together with various other improvements designed to promote the development and utilization of said waterpower, provided, the common council of said city will pass an ordinance or resolution, agreeing on its part that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit, for a period of five years, such portion of the taxes as may be legally levied and assessed on said power house, paper mill and pulp mill, and all real estate necessarily used in connection therewith and owned by said proposed corporation, its successors and assigns as shall be in excess of what the taxes would be during each of said five years if based upon the assessed valuation of said real estate for the year 1900, intending hereby that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit any and all taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said real estate on account of the improvements made thereon by the said proposed corporation, its successors or assigns, during said period of five years commencing with the first year's taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property after the first day of January, 1902.

It being understood that no exemption from taxation of any personal property which said corporation may own and which personal property is properly taxable in said city in requested herein.

We, therefore, believing that the benefits to be derived and received by us individually from the increased value of all property in the city and the additional commercial and industrial facilities resulting therefrom will fully compensate us and will promote the best interests of our city, most respectfully petition and request your honorable body to adopt such order, resolution or ordinance as will most effectually secure the exemption from taxation of said real estate above mentioned for said period of five years.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Schnabel:

Be it resolved, that the prayer of said petitioners be and the same hereby is granted and that that portion of the taxes which may be legally levied and assessed for a period of five years from and after the first day of January, 1902, against said dam and all other real estate owned and used by said Consolidated Water Power company, its successors or assigns in the improvement and development of said water power, as shall be in excess of what the taxes each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation for the year 1900, be and the same are hereby remitted and cancelled, and

It is further resolved, that that portion of the taxes which may be legally levied and assessed for a period of five years from and after the first day of January, 1902, against the power house, paper mill and pulp mill and all other real estate necessarily used in connection therewith owned by said proposed corporation to be organized by the said Nels Johnson and J. D. Witter and other persons as aforesaid its successors or assigns, as shall be in excess of what the taxes thereon during each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation of said real estate for the year 1900, be and the same are hereby remitted and cancelled.

Moved and carried that the petition and resolution be referred to a committee of three to be appointed by the chair to investigate and report on the same at the next meeting of the council. Reiland, Rossier and Boles were appointed as such committee and the city attorney was requested to act with them.

Moved and carried that when the council adjourn, it adjourn to next Tuesday evening, February 12th.

Moved and carried that Mr. D. D. Conway have permission to withdraw the above petition providing he file a copy of same with the committee tomorrow.

Moved and carried that the council rebate the tax on the real estate or mill property and site of the Grand Rapids Lumber Co. as per exemption given said company by the council of the city of Centralia, with the understanding and agreement between the Grand Rapids Lumber Co. and the council that said lumber company pay their tax on all their real estate and personal property in the future and that none of said tax be rebated.

Ordinance No. 70 amending ordinance No. 69 relating to the water works and electric light, was presented and unanimously adopted. (It may be seen in legal form.)

Under suspension of the rules the following bills were allowed:

E. A. Epham, recording deed \$ 75  
A. L. Fontain, printing 31 60  
Ed. Philion, sewer plans, taking levels, etc. 108 00  
F. J. Wood, repairs paid for library rooms, Gilchell & Luleck 2 55  
B. Metzger, repairs to stone truck and plow 2 20  
J. F. Moore, repairs on tools 45  
F. J. Wood, paid Stelf for wood for library 3 00  
Twin City Electric Co., Jan. light 248 91  
T. J. Cooper, superintendent of water works, salary for February 1, 1901 18 75  
M. J. Gordon, lumber 67  
P. Nowaratzky, lunch for

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flood hands	95
John McCarthy, repairing tools	1 50
Chas. F. Loweth, report and estimate cost of water wks	150 00
The city teams were on motion authorized to haul the wood the city has now on hand in the country.	
Water works engineer reported expense of pumping station for January to be \$158.79. Water pumped, 2,528,829 gallons.	
The treasurer's report for December was presented as follows:	
December 1st, by overdraft	\$15,650 88
By orders paid during month	1,652 62
To tax collected to Jan. 4th	\$ 5,080 71
By overdraft	12,252 79
Treasurer's report for January was presented as follows:	
Jan. 4, by overdraft	\$12,252 79
By orders paid during month	2,188 26
Total	\$14,441 65
Feb. 1st, to tax collected	\$30,613 35
To water rental	5 00
Total	\$37,193 38
Balance on hand	\$22,752 33
Total	\$37,193 38
Report accepted and ordered filed. Council on motion adjourned until Feb. 12, 1901.	
M. W. MOSHER, City Clerk.	

## Ordinance No. 70.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 69, relating to Waterworks and Electric Light.

The Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 69 is hereby amended by inserting after the words "hereinafter directed" at the end of Section 1, the following: The city of Grand Rapids hereby agrees and contracts with the said company, its successors and assigns for a period of thirty years not to grant or allow any other person, corporation or firm, except the Twin City Electric company, its successors or assigns, any right or privilege to use any of the streets, alleys, roads, sidewalks, bridges, or public places, public places, or any other land owned or controlled by said city of Grand Rapids, for the purpose of placing poles, wires, conduits, pipes, hydrants, valves, or any other appurtenances or appliances for the purpose of supplying electric light, power or water other for public or private use.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication, providing the Twin City Electric Co. files a written acceptance of same with city clerk within ten days after its publication.

Approved Feb. 5 A. D. 1901.  
H. R. GOGGINS,  
Mayor.

## Ordinance No. 71.

An Ordinance vacating and discontinuing a certain portion of Franklin street.

The Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared that all of that portion of Franklin street on the west side of the Wisconsin river in the said city of Grand Rapids, west of the west line of Block No. 20 of the original plat of the city of Centralia, now a part of the said city of Grand Rapids, produced south across said Franklin street to the south line thereof is vacated and discontinued.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved February 5, A. D. 1901.  
H. R. GOGGINS,  
Mayor.

## Attest:

M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Gen. Haman was a Pittsville visitor on Sunday.

Jerre Case of Pittsville was in town on Wednesday.

Atty. H. E. Fitch of Nekeos was in town Thursday.

T. E. Nash was in Appleton on business the past week.

Will White spent Sunday with his parents at Pittsville.

Miss Carolyn Briere has been on the sick list the past week.

M. J. Slattery made a business trip to Arpin on Sunday last.

Ed. Bonham visited with relatives in New Lisbon on Monday.

August Althouse of New Rome was here on business Thursday.

Judge Gaynor transacted legal business at Pittsville Thursday.

Mrs. John Henry visited friends in Rudolph during the past week.

Mrs. E. S. Bailey of Vesper was in the city Wednesday shopping.

C. E. Lester made a trip to Madison on Monday returning Wednesday.

Wm. Scott is in the southern part of the state on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis have been in Milwaukee during the past week.

The Modern Woodmen hold one of their dancing parties this Friday evening. Also the Knights of Pythias.

Arthur Sickles was a visitor at Chicago and Madison during the past week.

Aug. Wittenberg and Geo. Haman took in the sights at Stevens Point on Tuesday.

M. Pillar was at Arpin the forepart of the week in the interest of the W. O. W.

Rev. W. A. Peterson left on Monday for Surgeon Bay to be absent about ten days.

George B. McMillan has been in Milwaukee and Chicago since Wednesday on business.

Officer James Gibson has been laid up during the past week with sciatic rheumatism.

Chas. Kruger and Martin Beeson transacted business in Babcock on Wednesday.

Geo. Delap, foreman of the Marshfield News, spent Sunday here visiting his many friends.

District Attorney Wiperman was in Madison the fore part of the week on legal business.

Geo. W. Paulus went to Marshfield on Wednesday to spend a couple of days visiting friends.

Herman Stracher of Marshfield was in the city on Wednesday, the guest of Register of Deeds Upham.

Dr. D. A. Telfer returned on Friday last from Mazomania. Mrs. Telfer is recovering from her illness.

Atty. J. W. Cochran transacted legal business in Milwaukee and Madison the latter part of last week.

Editor John White of the Marshfield Times favored us with a pleasant call on Tuesday while in the city.

Charles Kellogg was in Milwaukee and other points about the state on business during the past week.

J. W. Cameron of Milwaukee was in the city Thursday and Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cameron.

Cashier F. J. Wood of the Wood County bank went to Milwaukee on Wednesday to spend a couple of days.

Rev. L. Kroll returned on Saturday from Oueda where he had been to take the place of Father Merrill for a week.

L. M. Nash was in Milwaukee Wednesday and Thursday in attendance at the meeting of Wisconsin Hardware dealers.

Reverend Leopold Kroll attended on Thursday the Archdeaconary meeting at Wausau where he delivered an address.

T. W. Horton of New Rome favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Wednesday while in the city on business.

H. H. Kelley visited relatives at his old home at Hancock on Monday and Tuesday, returning to this city on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Taylor of Racine arrived last Friday and will spend a week or more visiting at the home of Mrs. Ernest Oberbeck.

B. W. Lemley and M. J. Balentine of Chicago have been in the city during the past week on business. Mr. Lemley is a former Grand Rapids boy.

J. B. Bridge is visiting L. H. Read at Fruitdale, Alabama, where he expects to spend several weeks. Mr. Bridge is the expert grafter at the Riverdale seed farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Torrance are making their home temporarily in this city. Mr. Torrance being one of the engineers who will have charge of the bridge work at this place.

Paul Zeilinger, who has been in Montana for some time braving on the Montana & Western, arrived home on Friday of last week and will visit with his parents for some time.

Rev. Petterson was at City Point on Saturday to conduct the funeral services of the late Thos. Franson, who was killed a few days before by being struck on the head by the limb of a tree.

The order of the Eastern Star at Pittsville have out invitations for a party in that city on Friday evening, February 15. There will be dancing at King's Hall and supper at the Masonic hall.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Ridgman and two youngest children left on Tuesday for Fond du Lac to remain the rest of the week. The doctor is a delegate to the high court of the Independent Order of Foresters and he will combine business with pleasure and visit several relatives in the city.

Henry Hardin has gone to Minnesota where he will have charge of a logging engine. His place in the electric light plant has been taken by Albert Otto formerly foreman for the company, and Otto Erdman is now foreman.

A group of men numbering about fifty, who had been engaged on the grading work of the new railroad, passed through the city on Monday on their way to St. Paul, they having been compelled to stop work on account of the frost in the ground.

Mrs. Isabelle McMillan, mother of the McMillan brothers in this city has been quite sick the past few days with a severe attack of grip. The old lady is 87 years of age, but at this writing she is gaining some and it is thought that she will again be about in a short time.

**Society and Club Notices.**

The Woman's Historical and Literary society will meet next Monday evening with Mrs. E. A. Tennant.

The Travel class will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Kellogg.

The Ladies' Aid society of the German Moravian church will meet with Mrs. Rev. A. Petterson on Wednesday the 13th of February, 1901. Please remember the date and the place. Come all.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, east side, will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. W. Lyon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. F. J. Wood.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid society will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. N. Pepin.

The M. W. K. club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Bart.

St. Katherine's Guild will meet next Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. I. P. Witter.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church of the west side will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Chas. Gothe.

**Died in New Mexico.**

Stevens Point Gazette: A. G. Cary of this city received a telegram last Wednesday afternoon informing him that his son, Augustus J., was very low at East Lovgas, N. M., where he had been ill at the Ladies' Home of Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen for some time. His mother took the midnight train for that point, but did not reach there until after her son's death, he passing away at 6:55 o'clock Friday evening. Death was caused by consumption.

The deceased young man was born at Centralia, in August, 1876, and was therefore in the 25th year of age. He came with his parents from Grand Rapids seven years ago, and for several years was employed on the Central and Northern Pacific railroads. Three years ago while on the latter road, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and for some time was ill in the railway hospital at Brainerd, Minn. Going to work before he entirely recovered, he caught cold, which developed into consumption, and he had been able to work but very little since. Some time was spent in California, and later he consulted eminent specialists in New York. One year ago he left for New Mexico, going to Albuquerque and thereafter to Glorieta, camping out and teaching the Mexican children the English language when able to do so. About six months ago, while hunting, he broke one of his ribs and was otherwise injured, but on election day was able to ride 30 miles to vote. His brother, Dudley, who is employed on the Santa Fe road, with headquarters at Albuquerque, was with him when he died. Augustus was a bright and affable young man, well liked by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, and to the parents, sisters and brothers the sympathy of the community goes out.

The funeral will take place from the house, 404 Ellis street, at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, thence to the Episcopal church, with interment in the Episcopal cemetery. It will be under the auspices of the local order of Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which the deceased was a member and in which he was insured.

**A Card.**

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

John E. Daly,  
Johnson & Hill Co.

During the past few weeks the Racer war and the insurrection in the Philippines have been rather much eclipsed by the antics of Dr. Rodermund and Mrs. Nation. The doctor has been caught, properly fumigated and returned to the bosom of his family, and if the authorities would do the same by Mrs. Nation it is probable that the American people could once more settle down to regular routine business.

For the annual convention National Creamery Buttermakers Association, C. M. and St. P. will sell excursion tickets, Feb. 18 and 19, return limit Feb. 25 at one fare for the round trip.

Our neighbors at Grand Rapids are to be commended on their movement toward the erection of a new building, to be used as a public gymnasium and amusement hall, with bath rooms and other attachments. It is thought the structure can be erected and equipped for \$10,000, the money to be raised by popular subscription, and many of those approached have taken kindly to the enterprise, subscribing liberally.—Stevens Point Gazette.

**—FARM FOR SALE.**—A one hundred and twenty acre farm located about three miles from this city on the Rudolph road. A good dwelling house on same. For particulars write to Mrs. P. Walsh, Eagle River, Wis.

**—Presidential inauguration ceremonies.** Washington D. C., Mar. 4, 1901. C. L. and St. P. will sell excursion tickets at one regular fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip, on Feb. 28, Mar. 1st and 2nd. Return limit leaving Washington Mar. 8th, 1901.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The county board meets in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 12.

Chas. Heiser, formerly of this city, has opened a saloon at Vesper.

You don't hear a soul kicking for more improvements these tax-paying days.

The family of Fred Dechamie was increased on Monday by the arrival of a baby boy.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dole of the south side on Saturday morning.

The members of the M. W. K. club went to Port Edwards on Wednesday and met with Mrs. W. A. Brazzan.

Claude Conant of the east side ward school treated his scholars to a sleigh ride on Friday night of last week, going to Port Edwards and return.

The Neenah Times says Dr. Rodermund should credit himself with \$100,000 for the free advertising that he has obtained by his recent escapade. Rodermund and Roosevelt are the star advertisers of the period.

—A. B. Crawford, Dentist. Office in Reiland building, Grand Rapids. High grade service at reasonable fees.

The second annual ball of the Woodmen of the World at Arpin will be held on Saturday evening, Feb. 16th. A big time is anticipated and Adams' Imperial orchestra of Marshfield have been engaged to furnish music.

—The Coons of Blackville guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. For the benefit of the band.

Louis Collier was brought before Justice Cooper today (Friday), but the case was adjourned until next Wednesday on account of a press of other business.

—Lost.—One Scotch Collie dog, golden sable with white nose and four white feet. Finder return to A. W. Bryant and receive suitable reward. Dog had been staying at Natwick's farm, Hansen.

In answer to a "How to get rich" advertisement that appeared in an eastern paper the other day, one of our citizens sent 50 cents, and received this advice: "Advertise as we do; suckers are always plentiful."—Lodi Enterprise.

—Take Rocky Mountain Tea. See it exterminate poison. Feel it revitalize your blood and nerves and bring back that happy, joyous feeling of boyhood days. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

The Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co. have purchased two lumber yards during the past week one being at Endeavor and the other at Packwaukee. The yards were purchased from W. H. Moss and will be run by parties at the different places.

Sophia Johnson, daughter of Fred Johnson of the town of Sherry has been very ill with pneumonia but is gradually recovering. She had an attack of diphtheria last fall and had hardly recovered from the effects of this disease when she was stricken with pneumonia.

—Bridges rivers tunnels mountains, builds cities, gathers up the scattered rays of one's ability. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

Fred King of the town of Grant died on Friday of last week at the age of 73 years, death being caused by pneumonia and grip. The deceased had been a resident of that section for a number of years. The funeral occurred on Monday. The deceased was an uncle of Julius King of this city.

—All specialties up to date including vocal and instrumental solos. Coons of Blackville.

The school commissioners met last Tuesday evening and although it was confidently expected that a site would be agreed on for the new high school such was not the case. There will be another meeting next Tuesday, however, and the commissioners promise that the matter will be settled.

—F. Pomainville, M. D. Office in rear of Steib's drug store. Telephone at office, No. 35; residence, Centralia, No. 248.

The Adams county case was adjourned until the June session of the circuit court at Friendship. It appears that when the suit comes up again each one of those whose names are claimed to be forgeries will have to be brought into court. This will make a lengthy case.

Saturday was "ground hog day," the day on which Mr. Woodchuck is supposed to come out of his hole, take a breath of fresh air, and if he finds the sun shining go back and remain for six weeks. He found the sun shining on this occasion without a doubt, so there is no doubt about the cold weather coming.

—Dr. J. J. Luozee Grand Rapids, office over Wood County Drug store, telephone No. 62. Residence telephone No. 246.

In the unique observation of Chaplain J. T. Bird of the British army, the zodiacal light and the moon were seen together, the moon, within 40 hours of new, being lighted only by earth-shine. This indicates great transparency of the south African atmosphere, and that the zodiacal light is beyond the moon.

An exchange says the laying on of hands for complaints, especially in children, is now taking the place of Christian Science. A mother cured her boy of the cigarette habit with one dose. She laid her left hand on a substantial slipper, and then laid the slipper where it would do the most good. It affected a cure and a relapse is not looked for.

On Saturday afternoon a party of ladies indulged in a sleigh ride to Nekeos and back, taking supper at the Herrick house. They report a very pleasant time. Those present were Mesdames Nathan Church, G. W. Mason, Sam Church, L. M. Schlatterer, H. Akey, M. H. Lemense, F. P. Daly, N. J. Boncher, John Collier, F. Collier, J. Bogoger, Geo. Preston, F. H. Jackson, J. Inlan, W. Dickson, W. Bandelin and Eleanor Phillips.

—Dr. J. C. Conniff, Dentist. Office over the Centralia Drug Co.'s store in Daly block, Centralia, Wis. Telephone 182.

W. H. Reeves has accepted a position with the Grand Rapids Lumber Co.

—Do not miss the great plantation scene consisting of Murray and her Pekannies also the good old southern melodies sung by the celebrated quartette, Feb. 12th.

The case of L. C. Gibbs came up on Wednesday, but owing to the absence from the city of both the district attorney and the attorney for the defense the case was adjourned to Saturday.

—Dr. D. Waters, physician and surgeon. Office over Church's drug store, telephone 182. Night calls at Dixon House, telephone 55.

An editor out west printed an item which stated that "the man who was hugging the hired girl had better stop or his name will be published." In a few days about twenty-five citizens paid up their subscriptions and told the editor to "pay no attention to foolish stories going around."—Ex.

An editor over in the western part of the state says he has two subscribers who frequently get full, and every time they are in that condition they come in and pay a year in advance. One of them is already credited to 1941 and the fraternity throughout the state are crazy to find out what kind of whiskey he drinks. They want to offer it as a premium.—Ex.

About all the reserved seats have been sold for the home minstrels, Coons of Blackville which occurs next Tuesday evening, and there is no doubt but there will be one of the largest crowds ever seen in the opera house at a paid entertainment. The boys promise us a good show and there is no doubt of their ability to do so. Should the weather permit they will be on the street at 12:30 in a grand fall dress parade, headed by the Star band. A dance follows the show.

—Roosters often crow over eggs they did not lay. Same with people who sell an imitation Rocky Mountain Tea, made famous by the Madison Medicine Co.'s advertising. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

Parties in the neighborhood of the Green Bay depot complain that it is a waste of money to buy wood as some party in that section has been in the habit of securing his supply after sunset without paying for it in good hard dollars. One person said that he switched from burning wood to coal, thinking thereby to fool his neighbor with the kleptomaniacal tendencies, but he discovered when too late that the neighbor aforesaid owned a stove of the combined wood and coal burning variety, and that he was just as willing to burn coal as wood.

—Dr. Chas. Pomainville, Dentist. Office over J. A. Cohen's store, Grand Rapids, Wis. Telephone 216.

The 20th Century place No. 2, will probably be opened to the public on Friday, Feb. 22, on which occasion there will be refreshments served to all those that wish to open their heart and help along a good cause. One thing that is needed is a carpet, and if any person has a carpet that would be suitable for a place of this kind and that they wish to donate they may be enabled to do so by communicating with Rev. Petterson on the subject. Also persons having anything of a decorative character may be able to help make the rooms habitable by donating the same.

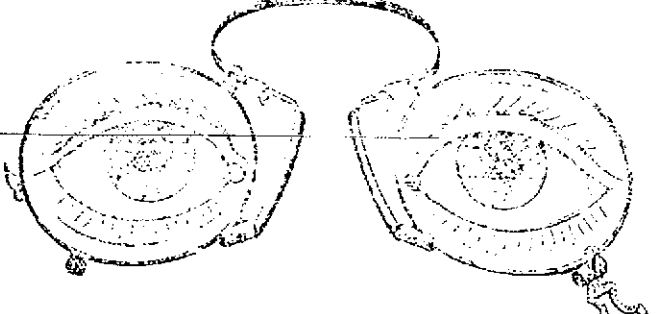
—Don't miss the great roller skating specialty introduced by Oak brothers, Red and Bar Oak, Feb. 12th, Coons of Blackville.

A case was tried this week before Judge Cooper, the parties to which are from Pittsville. The suit was brought by Merchant E. S. Bell to recover the cost of some supplies bought by the famous "Doctor" Rader who had the check cashed that did not belong to him and subsequently made himself scarce. The suit was against J. H. Hodgson, who was Rader's partner before that gentleman skipped out. From the evidence it appears that Rader bought the goods and had them charged to himself and Mr. Hodgson, but had not mentioned the matter to Hodgson, so that gentleman did not care to pay for them after the wily doctor skipped out, which is hardly any wonder considering how he had been treated by his supposed friend. Justice Cooper took the matter under advisement and rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff on Friday.

—For fine dental work, go to Dr. D. A. Telfer, office over Wood County National Bank, Grand Rapids. Will be out of town every Monday and Tuesday.

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Consider it an invaluable remedy for a traveling stable or stock farm.

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MUIR, The SHOE MAN. East Side.







## RUDOLPH.

It has pleased the Almighty Ruler and Commander of the Universe to call from our midst our esteemed and beloved friend and neighbor, Mrs. Peter Lorenson. Heart and lung trouble was the cause of her death. Although Mrs. Lorenson had not been feeling well for a few weeks, no anxiety was entertained for her recovery until within a few days of her death. All that medical skill, a fond husband and loving friends could do was in vain. The angel of death claimed his own and the end came Sunday morning, Feb. 3rd, as a great relief from pain and weariness. The departed one, had she lived, would have been thirty-three years old the 29th of this month. She leaves a husband, broken down with sorrow at her sad and untimely demise. Many other relatives and friends are saddened by her death for she was taken in the prime of life and usefulness. Mrs. Rassmussen of this place, a sister of the deceased, was with her during her illness. Another sister, Mrs. Johnson, and a brother, Mr. Peterson, both of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of New Rome and Chris. Lorenson, brother of the bereaved husband, were in attendance at the last sad rites. The sad and solemn but beautiful funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. Peterson of your city. Relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place in Forest Hill cemetery. The heartfelt sympathy of many friends and neighbors goes out to the grief-stricken husband and sorrowing brothers and sisters in this their terrible bereavement.

The educational revival held at Rudolph Tuesday night, conducted by Prof. Livingston and Co. Supt. Leu, was quite largely attended considering the severity of the weather. The attention manifested throughout the lecture gave evidence of the interest felt in the subject. It was a "revival" in the strictest sense of the word and has been productive of much thinking and discussion. Let us hope, however, that something more material will be the outcome.

School closed in Dist. No. 3 last Friday afternoon, Feb. 1st. A mail box had been erected in the school room a week previous to the closing, and valentines were the order of the day, Friday. Every child was the recipient of at least one pretty valentine. Comic ones found their way in somehow, which only varied the enjoyment of the little folks.

The grip has victimized the Ratelle family. Although the other members of the family have recovered, Mr. Ratelle, Sr., is still confined to his bed at the present writing.

The Misses Ida Case, Nora Whitman, Edith Conhart, and Messrs. Ed Warner and Wm. Tefau were callers at Miss Provost's school last week.

Carl Jacobson, son of Thos. Jacobson, has been quite sick with pneumonia during the past few weeks. He is better at this writing.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. John Conhart next Thursday.

Miss Carrie Ratelle, employed for the past two years at Rhineland, is home for the winter.

Joseph Provost has gone to Mosinee to relieve Will Provost who is home for a few days.

R. R. Mullian, piano tuner, was doing work in his line in this town Tuesday.

Miss Julia Crotteau is expected home from Lynn this week.

Miss Mary Ratelle is visiting with friends in your city.

Miss Dora Crotteau is suffering with an attack of grip.

Miss Laura Provost is on the sick list this week.

## CRANNOOR.

A merry party of young people from Port Edwards took advantage of the moonlight and sleighing last Saturday evening to ride out to the Whittlesy home. The evening was spent in having a general good time and the entire party returned to their respective homes on the 10:30 train Sunday morning.

Chas. Kruger accompanied his sister Myra and Miss Anna Granger to Babcock Monday evening where they attended the lecture given by Prof. Livingston on public schools.

Prof. Livingston and Supt. Leu visited both our schools while in this neighborhood and we trust were well pleased with their work and equipment.

An epidemic of mumps has broken out in our midst and has found victims in the Kruger, Rezin and Foley families.

Chas. Whittlesy was among the number of merry makers that visited his home Saturday evening.

Robt. Steel who has been sick about a week with the grippe is still confined to the house.

S. N. Whittlesy and son Harry are putting up the supply of ice for next season's use.

Miss Maud Griffith visited at the A. E. Bennett home Thursday evening.

## BIRO.

Will Craney, who is employed by the Wausau Paper Co., has been laid up for the last three weeks with a sore foot. He visited with friends here during the last week returning to his work today (Friday).

Joe Fitzpatrick, who has been working in the paper mill at Nekoosa, resigned his position at that place on Wednesday and went to Wausau with Mr. Craney today.

Piling room in the yard for cord wood is getting scarce and farmers are still hauling it.

Mrs. Alpine who has been sick during the past week is out again as full of fun as ever.

Carl Stearns from Oshkosh spent Sunday here with his brother, F. M. Stearns.

Mrs. Akey is confined to her bed this week with sickness.

## PORT EDWARDS.

The Port Edwards Woman's Club enjoyed a sleighride to Cranmoor last Saturday evening to the Whittlesy home, where they put in a few lively hours, dancing and playing whist. They returned on the train Sunday morning.

Among those visiting Port Edwards friends this week were: Miss Kate Smith at the Cleveland home, Misses Alice Nash and Nellie Ward at the Garrison home, Miss Mamie Doyle at the Edward Boyle home.

County Supt. Leu and Prof. Livingston of the Stevens Point normal visited our schools Tuesday afternoon. Prof. Livingston gave a short talk to the pupils in the upper department.

Among the Grand Rapids visitors this week we note: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Garrison, Misses W. A. and G. B. Brazeau, C. A. Jaspersen, C. S. Whittlesy and Ketia Cleveland.

While hunting rabbits near his home Sunday, Noah Martin was accidentally shot. Dr. Looze was called and removed several shot.

Chester Burrows departed for Alexandria, Ind., where he has secured a position in the mill with his father.

Mrs. W. A. Brazeau entertained the members of the M. W. K. club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Chris Peterson entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid society Tuesday afternoon.

Landford Deyo spent a few days in Westfield this week on business.

Geo. Scott visited with his family at Cranmoor last Sunday.

Have you been vaccinated? If not, better be on the safe side.

## MARSHFIELD ITEMS.

A mill for the manufacture of tissue paper will probably be in operation in Marshfield within a few months. A stock company with this end in view has been formed with Michael Hesser of Nekoosa as president and M. G. Fleckenstein, secretary and treasurer. The first named gentleman is a practical papermaker of many years experience. It is planned to use a portion of the old chair factory and begin operations about June 1st.

The ladies minstrels given in this city Thursday and Friday evenings proved a great success. The entertainments were under the supervision of the Helping Hand society.

Rev. Geo. H. Kallenbach has tendered his resignation as pastor of St. Albans Episcopal church and will go to Rock Island, Ill.

## Had to Conquer or Die.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., "I had consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well. It's an unrivaled life-saver in consumption, pneumonia, la grippe and bronchitis; infallible for coughs, colds, asthma, hay fever, croup or whooping cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Johnson & Hill Co.'s and John R. Daly's drug stores.

A woman who swindles women has of late been operating successfully in neighboring places. She is young, of pleasing appearance and a smooth talker. Fancy work is her stock in trade, and upon reaching a town the swindler ascertains the women who are inclined that way. Then she promises to organize classes in two branches, the entrance fee in one being \$3 and the other \$5. Two or three days later, the swindler explains, instructions will follow in her path, providing the materials and giving the lessons. Money must be paid to her and in advance. The woman generally spends about a day in town and then vanishes for fields a new. The instructors fail to come and there is no material forthcoming. Look out for her. - Antigo News Item.

## A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Belamy, a locomotive fireman of Burlington, Iowa, "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by Johnson & Hill Co. and John R. Daly. Price 50 cents.

The Journal learns on good authority that there is an excellent prospect that a new dam will be built across the Wisconsin river at this place by the Jackson Milling company during the coming summer. In fact, it is said that this will be so, unless the present plans of the company are changed. The building of the dam, if it is built, will not only give employment to a considerable number of men during the construction, but would largely increase the water power. This in turn would mean another increase in our manufacturing facilities and a corresponding increase in wages. May the good work go on. - Stevens Point Journal.

## Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the corporation formerly known as the Centralia Lumber Co. has in accordance with the statutes as provided amended its Articles of Incorporation so as to change its firm name and title to read Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co.

W. F. KELLOGG, President.  
S. M. KELLOGG, Secretary.

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## The Markets.

Hay, wild.	25.50	26.00
Hay, tame.	20.00	20.50
Barley.	20.00	20.50
Barabooks.	20.00	20.50
Kings and Hebrons.	20.00	20.50
Rose and Ohio.	20.00	20.50
Triumph.	20.00	20.50
Beans, navy.	1.00	1.50
Beans, medium.	1.00	1.50
Peas.	1.00	1.50
Butter.	10.00	16.00
Eggs.	10.00	16.00
Maple, dry, 4 ft.	4.00	4.00
Mixed, dry, 4 ft.	3.00	3.00
Maple, green, 4 ft.	3.50	3.50
Mixed, green, 4 ft.	2.50	2.50
Dressed Pork.	.05	.06
Beef Hides.	.06	.06
Calf Hides.	.06	.06
Live Cattle.	.02	.03
Sheep.	.02	.04
Calves.	.05	.06
Spring chickens, alive.	.06	.07
Old hens, dressed.	.08	.08
Turkeys, alive.	.08	.08
Turkeys, dressed.	.10	.10

## Summons.

Circuit Court--Wood County.  
Mary Miller, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Julius Miller, Defendant.  
THE STATE OF WISCONSIN TO THE SAID DEFENDANT:  
You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

J. W. COCHRAN,  
Plaintiff's Attorney,  
P. O. Address Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wis.

## Ordinance No. 72.

An Ordinance vacating and disincorporating a certain portion of Wisconsin street.  
The Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:  
Section 1. It is hereby declared that all that portion of Wisconsin street lying west of the west line of Block Nos. 20 and 21 (said Block No. 20 being erroneously numbered Block No. 25 of the original plat of the city of Centralia, according to Sargent & Phillips' plat of the city of Centralia, now a part of the city of Grand Rapids, produced across said Wisconsin street, and east of the right-of-way of the Marshfield & Southeastern Railway company, is vacated and discontinued.  
Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Approved February 5, A. D. 1901.  
Attest:  
M. W. MOSHER, Clerk.

## WANT COLUMN.

Advertisements in this column cost 5 cents per line per insertion. No ad taken less than five lines.

WANTED--Lady to represent us in their locality. For particulars address, C. C. C. 100 E. Lake St., Chicago.

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GOING SOUTH.

Leave Marshfield..... 6:45 a. m. 12:45 p. m.  
" Arph..... 7:15 a. m. 1:30 p. m.  
" Vesper..... 7:35 a. m. 1:50 a. m.  
" Centralia..... 8:05 a. m. 2:20 p. m.  
" Port Edwards..... 8:25 a. m. 2:50 p. m.  
Arrive Nekoosa..... 8:35 a. m. 3:10 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Nekoosa..... 9:00 a. m. 3:30 p. m.  
" Port Edwards..... 9:15 a. m. 4:10 p. m.  
" Centralia..... 9:45 a. m. 4:40 p. m.  
" Vesper..... 10:15 a. m. 5:10 p. m.  
" Arph..... 10:35 a. m. 5:30 p. m.  
Arrive Marshfield..... 11:00 a. m. 6:00 p. m.

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No. 3 Pass., daily except Sunday..... 7:26 a. m.  
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No. 1 Passenger, going West leave 11:33 a. m.  
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No. 7, " " arrive 7:30 p. m.

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" Duluth..... 4:35 p. m. 4:35 p. m.  
" Ashland..... 7:15 p. m. 7:15 p. m.  
Arrive Chicago..... 7:15 a. m. 10:05 a. m.

Leave Chicago..... 10:40 p. m. 6:00 p. m.  
" Ashland..... 8:15 a. m. 8:15 a. m.  
" Duluth..... 11:40 a. m. 11:40 a. m.  
" St. Paul..... 3:40 p. m. 3:30 p. m.  
Arrive Minneapolis..... 4:20 p. m. 8:40 a. m.

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Grand Rapids, West Grand Rapids, Nekoosa.

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Slattery, The Tailor.

## ONE MORE CHANGE

For you to get all kinds of

## WINTER GOODS

Right down to the bottom notch. We don't want to pack up any of our goods that have been on display and in order to avoid it we will give you bargains on what is left.

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## IF YOU ARE WISE

You will take all the comfort you can in your life.

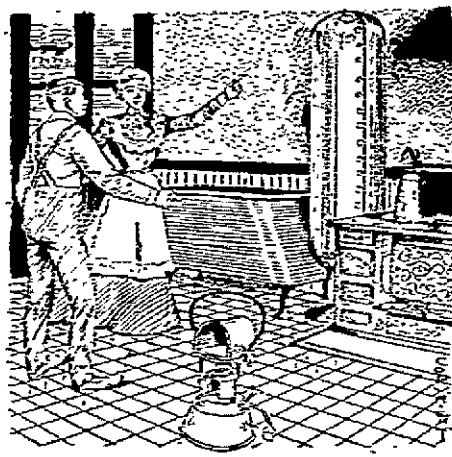
One of the best ways to take comfort is to take it in an easy Rocker. Its just wonderful what rest a Side-arm, easy seat and easy-back Rocker is to a tired out woman or man.

And the surest way to get such a rocker is to get it from us.

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Rockers for everyone at prices for every purse. \$3.00 buys a very handsome rocker indeed. More money buys better ones.

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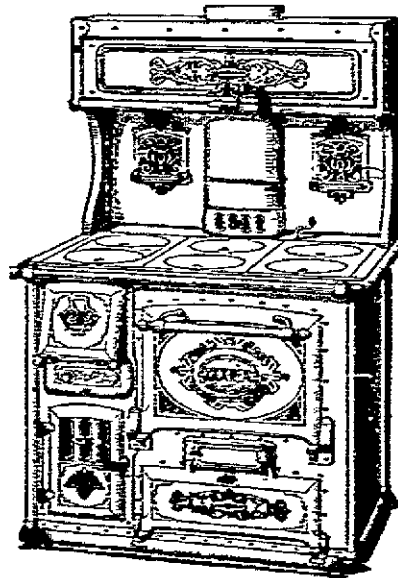
comes within our province. Got the skill and experience necessary to undertake and push to satisfactory completion the most difficult piece of work.

Our estimates will prove we are not high priced.

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**R U**

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### COUNCIL IN SESSION.

Interesting Meeting of the City Fathers on Tuesday Night.

Several important matters were brought before the council on Tuesday evening, one of which was the petition from Messrs. Johnson, Witter and others asking that in case they build the proposed dam across the Wisconsin river and make other improvements amounting to from \$300,000 to \$350,000 the city give them a rebate on their taxes for five years, the rebate to apply only to the improvements that are contemplated.

The matter was discussed somewhat both by aldermen and others present and it was finally voted that the matter be again taken up at an adjourned session of the council the following Tuesday night. In the meantime the measure was referred to a committee of three to consider and report on at the next meeting. This committee will be at the city hall on Saturday evening and any of our citizens who wish to look over the petition may do so, and in fact their inspection is solicited by the committee.

John Farrish of the Grand Rapids Lumber Company made a verbal proposition to the council to the effect that if the city would rebate to the lumber company their real estate tax amounting to \$600 for the last year, the company would hereafter pay all taxes on both real estate and personal property that the city might see fit to assess. The company had already paid their personal property tax amounting to \$1100. According to the agreement made by the city of Centralia before the consolidation the company was to be released from their taxes for a period of five years, and this is the second year of their existence. The petition was granted.

A petition from the Twin City Electric and Water Company asking that they be granted the exclusive right to establish and maintain a water system in the city for a period of thirty years was granted.

The salaries of the various city officers were raised to the following figures: Mayor, \$100 per year; clerk, \$250; treasurer, \$300; attorney, \$150; assessor, \$5 per day during actual work; day police, \$40; night police, \$20. The salaries were granted without a dissenting voice. It has been the opinion of our citizens for some time that the salaries of our police were insufficient and general satisfaction is expressed at the change.

After the usual routine business of allowing bills, etc., the council adjourned until next Tuesday night.

### Electric Company Meets.

At a meeting of the Twin City Electric Company on Friday evening, the amended franchise as granted them by the council was accepted. The name of the company was also changed to the Twin City Electric and Water Company and the constitution and by-laws so amended as to allow the company to engage in the establishment of a waterworks system.

All that now remains is the securing of the money, which it is stated can be done at a satisfactory rate of interest. In connection with this it may be in order to mention that on Tuesday evening the city council granted the company a thirty year exclusive franchise to operate a waterworks system in this city. This action was necessary in order that the company would be enabled to borrow the money necessary to establish the plant.

### Christian Endeavor Musical.

The Christian Endeavor society of the First Congregational church, west side, will give a musical entertainment Thursday evening, Feb. 14. Admission, children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents. Come and encourage the young people in their good work, they promise you an enjoyable evening.

### Program.

Piano.....  
Tenor Solo, violin accompaniment.....  
Coon Band Contest.....  
Song.....  
Boston Commandery.....  
Baritone and tenor duet, Larchwood Watch.....  
Piano Solo.....  
The Colored Mayor.....  
Flora.....  
Song.....  
Jolly Fellows.....  
Solo, Remember Me.....

### Broke a Leg.

Henry Trostke of Sheboygan who has been working in the woods near Vesper during the winter met with a bad accident on Wednesday. He was felling a tree and in coming down it struck him on the right leg, breaking it in two places, once above and below the knee. He is being cared for by Dr. Waters.

### Carl Yonz Dead.

Carl Frederick Yonz who had been residing with his son Charles on the West side for some time past died on Sunday at the age of 80 years from heart failure and old age. The funeral was held on Tuesday from the German Lutheran church, Rev. Bitt-officiating.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the past week: Ernest Oestrich and Minnie Walterbach, both of Marshfield.

Charles Regele and Lily Pearl both of the town of Lincoln.

### To the Deaf.

A rich lady cured of her deafness and noises in the head by Dr. Nicholson's artificial ear drums, gave \$10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 13,884, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York.

### Advertising Does It.

What is it that induces people to send to Milwaukee, Chicago and even to New York for goods they could buy right here at home asks an exchange? The answer is advertising. The big catalogue houses spend large sums of money annually advertising in the newspapers and their circulars and catalogues may be found in nearly every house in the United States especially in the country districts. They give the price of each article saying nothing about freight and the customer never stops to think about his home merchant who probably trusted him for a big bill of goods last summer but here is the article he wants and there is the price the order goes to the catalogue house and the purchaser pays the freight. The home merchant who does not advertise in the home paper has no kick coming. He has the opportunity to place before the people his goods and his prices, and at a much less expense than the foreign houses. He has not done so, and no one knows that he has goods for sale unless they happened into his place of business. If the merchants would advertise more and let people know what goods can be bought for at their stores there would be less money sent out of the country. The business man who thinks he is so well known that he does not need to advertise is very badly mistaken.

### AN UNUSUAL WILL.

How a Carson Farmer Provided for the Support of His Widow.

The will of John Cister of the town of Carson, which was recently probated in county court, contained some provisions which are rarely found in wills in this country, though they are said not to be infrequent in old country documents of this kind. The farm was left to one of his sons, but it was provided, among other things, that he should support his mother during her natural life. How this should be done was minutely set forth, the will providing that he "shall provide for her use in the buildings on the farm one bedroom and one room with a stove and shall furnish yearly the following: Eight cords of stove wood for one stove, 300 pounds of wheat flour, 200 pounds of rye flour, 10 pounds of coffee, 200 pounds of pork, 15 bushels of potatoes, 25 heads of cabbage, 20 pounds of sugar, and shall keep and feed one cow, and if his mother is unable to milk the cow then he shall milk her cow and deliver to his mother one quart of milk every day and one pound of butter every week, and also have eggs every day." Stevens Point Journal.

### High School Notes.

The Physics class spent the recitation period Friday listening to a very interesting lecture on "Fluids" accompanied by a number of experiments by Prof. Hambrecht. The physical apparatus at present in the laboratory enables the pupils to make experiments to a great extent on the subjects they have in hand. Richard Wiperman also took in the lecture and, altho' he has been thro' it all before, he still found it very interesting.

The rhetorical program in the high school this (Friday) afternoon will consist of speaking by the following members: Addie Baker, Wayne Rowland, Thomas Boyle, Joe Christman, Lucy Clossuit, Ella Dahlke, Ruth Emmons, Emma Erickson, Will Farrish, Clayton Fournier, Gertrude Gaynor, Maggie Granger.

A meeting of the athletic association was held last Monday for the purpose of forming a baseball nine.

State Inspector of High Schools W. D. Parker visited our school Thursday morning.

The second year class have finished Roman history and have begun French history.

The Forum program for tonight, Feb. 8, 1901, is as follows:

Roll Call.....	Response Quotations
Musical.....	Glee Club
Reading.....	Jesse Henderson
Declamation.....	Floyd Jenkins
Essay.....	Earl Crawford
Debate—Resolved: That the present administration has been justifiable in its Philippine policy.	
Affirmative.....	Negative.
Chas. Hirschlieb.....	Chas. Briere,
Bell Quinn.....	Will Teller.
Declamation.....	Ida Halvorsen
Musical.....	Glee Club

### Smallpox Signs to Keep off Agents.

A report was brought to this city last week by a farmer living near Chili that in the town of York, Clark county, between 25 and 30 smallpox signs were exposed on farm houses indicating that there was an epidemic of the disease in that community. The News did not credit the report as the State Board of Health had no cognizance of these alarming conditions. It has since been learned that there is not a single case of smallpox in the township, but that the farmers purchased the cardboard signs and nailed them up conspicuously to frighten off agents for farm machinery who are said to be unusually thick about this season of the year.—Marshfield News.

### Low Rates to the South.

Excursion tickets at reduced rates are now being sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to the prominent resorts in the south, including Jacksonville, Fla., Mobile, Ala., New Orleans, La., Savannah, Ga., El Paso, Tex., which are good for return passage at any time prior to June 1st, 1901. Information regarding rates, routes, time, etc., can be obtained on application to any coupon ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

### THE SHIRT WAIST MAN.

He will Probably be in Evidence here Next Summer.

It seems from all that can be gathered that our merchants have during the past few weeks ordered a quantity of shirt waists for next summer's trade, which would indicate that they have faith that a few of our citizens at least are progressive enough to recognize a good thing when they see it even though they might run the chance of being called girlish for one season. So far as can be learned the purchasers have been rather light in their orders, as they have not been able to decide just how the new fad will affect the masculine portion of Grand Rapids. Should it become a fad, there would be a great sale when the first hot wave meandered along this way, as none of the boys now have a supply, and an entire new outfit would have to be purchased.

However should the man portion of our beautiful little city prove too stern to countenance such frivolities, the goods would be a drag on the market.

The goods displayed by agents possessed all the attractive colors and features of the regular gent's negligee shirts and are made to wear with a collar same as the shirt.

There is no question but that they would be a mighty nice thing to wear on a hot day if it wasn't for the fact that they had been first popularized by women.

### Dairy Machinery Instruction.

A new department has been added to the instruction given dairy students at the University of Wisconsin. A new building and equipment is now provided for teaching the practical mechanics of dairy machinery.

A great many dollars may be saved or wasted every year by a butter maker or cheese maker in his care and management of the boiler, the engine, the pumps, valves, etc., of a factory. The repair bills, the fuel bills and the oil bills are a good indication of how well the operator understands his work. Many factories are located in the country some distance from a machine shop or a tin shop and the butter maker or the cheese maker needs some training that will fit him for making his own repairs.

The present class of 120 students is the first one to have the advantage of this new course. All dairy students in the future will spend one-fourth of their time in the shop. In the basement of this building are both high pressure and low pressure boilers. The students do the firing. Wood is burned under one boiler and coal under others. The fuel consumed is recorded and all the pipes and valves connected with the boiler are explained and their uses made plain. On the first floor is a room 40x60 feet in size where the students put up ladders and shafting, they learn to set separators properly and to calculate the size of pulleys needed to give a certain speed, they study the construction of boiler feed pumps and injectors, and learn all they can from taking a 10-horsepower engine apart and putting it together again.

The second floor is fitted up with benches at which the students learn to use the soldering irons; they also cut and fit iron pipe, repair globe valves, and are taught several different ways of lacing belts.

This shop work, together with the instruction in butter making, cheese making and milk testing which is given during the twelve weeks of the winter term, is a valuable addition to a man's equipment as a dairyman, a cheese maker or a creamery butter maker.

Three men from Wood county are attending the dairy school this winter: Joseph Y. Brandt, Blenker; Harry Cattanauch, Nasonville; John Peter Jensen, Rudolph.

### Injured by Rolling Log.

Alfred Willett was injured at Arpin last Saturday afternoon by a heavy log rolling over his body. He was taken to the home of his father-in-law, Ole Thompson, in the town of Richfield, and a messenger dispatched to this city on a bicycle, arriving here at 10 p. m. It was feared by those in attendance that he would not survive the night. After an examination Dr. Doege found the young man was in no danger of dying, though suffering intense pain. Willett is well known in this city.—Marshfield News.

### Valentine Party.

Won't you come to our Valentine party, We have planned it for one and all. There will be Valentines for every one. Both big and small. We assure you all a pleasant evening. Light up in the Foresters' hall. A dime at the door will admit you. And ten cents more will permit you to dine. On Thursday evening, Feb. 14, 1901, at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all by the Young Ladies' Sodality.

### For Sale Cheap.

A two story frame house of four rooms and four lots 51x135, with well, woodshed, nice lawn, shade trees, etc., on Milwaukee street, can be bought for \$600, on account of owner leaving town. This is worth investigating. Call at the Tribune office for further information.

### Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.'s and John E. Daly's drug stores.

## In Public Favor.

After tax paying time you need a Tonic.

Granulated sugar 17 lbs for...\$1  
New Cal. prunes, per lb.....4c  
Larsons Lily brand tomatoes solid pack per can.....8c  
Larsons special peas, tender and juicy per can.....9c  
Larsons Lily brand sauerkraut per quart.....8c  
Oat meal, the best money can buy, per pound.....2c  
Growler smoking tobacco, 1 lb packages.....18c

**W. GROSS,**  
West Side Grocer.

## Silence is Golden YET SELFISH.

Were we to remain silent the public would be longer in discovering that they can save from 40 to 60 per cent. on any piece of furniture they wish to purchase, or in other words, can obtain high grade furniture at a lower price than is paid to other dealers for an inferior quality.

**J. W. NATWICK,**  
The Furniture Man.

## Valentines

A large and select assortment of fancy and Comic Valentines now on display in our windows. Don't forget the place.

**Sam Church's**  
DRUG STORE.

**Patronize Home Industry**  
by having your work done at the  
**Riverside Steam Laundry.**  
All work guaranteed.  
GEORGE BOYER, PROP.  
West Side, Near Commercial House.

**NEW SHOE SAOP.**  
All kinds of repairing on Boots and Shoes promptly and neatly done.  
**C. F. WARD,**  
Shop on River St. West Side.



## MINISTER IS SENTENCED.

Rev. W. O. Hanson of La Crosse  
Sent to Jail for Desertion.

## GETS THREE MONTHS.

In Jail Since June Awaiting Trial  
and Will Be Kept Till  
Year Expires.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Rev. Martin O. Hanson, who escaped during the past two years have kept him in hot water, was taken into the circuit court this morning and sentenced to serve three months in the county jail for deserting his wife and family. Hanson was extradited from Minnesota last June and has been in jail since waiting trial, therefore his time spent in jail will be nearly a year. The court took this into consideration. Before sentencing him a motion for new trial was argued on the ground that the offense was not committed in Wisconsin but in Minnesota. But the court over-ruled the motion.

## FUNERAL OF A PRIEST.

Last Tribute Is Paid to Rev. Father  
N. A. Rivers at Janesville.

Janesville, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The funeral of Father N. A. Rivers at St. Mary's church this morning was the largest gathering of that kind seen here in recent years. During the ceremony the church was crowded and hundreds were unable to gain admission. At 2:30 o'clock the attending clergy began the office for the dead. Solemn high mass was conducted at 10 o'clock. The Gregorian plain chant was rendered by the united choir of St. Thomas church of Beloit and St. Patrick's and St. Mary's of this city. Father Boucher of Fond du Lac acted as deacon and Rev. J. Haherty of Rockford, Ill., as sub-deacon. Father Goebel was master of ceremonies and Charles Bier of St. Francis seminary acted as thurifer. The sermon was preached by Rev. M. J. Ward of Beloit. About twenty-five priests from various parts of the state and northern Illinois were present.

## Other Deaths in the State.

Wausauke, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Glenn Sheedy died of pneumonia. Joseph A. Fleur, one of the old residents of Portage, died yesterday, aged 77 years. Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Louis Baischneider, proprietor of the Grand hotel, died this morning, aged 62 years.

## TWO COUPLES ELOPE.

Four Young People Take a Team  
and Drive Away to Get Married.  
—Police Searching for Them.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The La Crosse police have received word to look out for two couples from Decorah, Ia., who have eloped. They started towards La Crosse, from that place, during the latter part of the week, and were supposed to have taken a team, and the four left at the same time. The police could find nothing to indicate that the parties in question stopped here, but they believe they must have headed for Wisconsin or other northern parts. It is undoubtedly the intention of the couples to get married, and their parents have taken every means to locate them that was possible. The elopers range in age from 18 to 23.

## DESIRE TO REMARRY.

La Crosse Couple Gets Divorce and  
Then Secures License to  
Wed Again.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—On Saturday, a divorce was granted to Mrs. Rachel Jones Novoratski from Walter Novoratski on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment. Today Mr. Novoratski took out a license to wed Mrs. Rachel Jones Novoratski and the couple will be reunited at the end of the five days required by the true law. The couple applied to Judge Brindley, who granted the divorce, for a special permit to wed today, but the judge refused, as he does not approve of remarriage in such a short time after obtaining a separation.

## TO SUCCEED FATHER WELLS.

Rev. Lloyd E. Johnson of Louisville  
Called to Stevens Point.

Stevens Point, Wis., Feb. 5.—Rev. Lloyd E. Johnson of Grace church, Louisville, Ky., has been called unanimously to succeed Bishop Coadjutor R. H. Wells as rector of the local Episcopal church. Mr. Johnson was formerly rector at Waukesha and Appleton.

## COULDN'T SAVE HIS LIFE.

Claude Miller of West Superior Dies  
of Shock.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—Claude Miller, the 16-year-old boy who dislocated his left arm and ruptured the brachial artery while coasting on a plank on the toboggan slide, died from the shock of the amputation which was made necessary by the inability of the surgeons to take up the artery.

## GRADUATE WITH HONORS.

Two Wisconsin Boys in Class at  
West Point.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—In a class of seventy-five to graduate from the West Point Military academy are two Wisconsin boys, both in the ranks of the first five, which are those who take the highest honors. One of the boys is Ernest Peck of this city.

## Old Book for Sale.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 5.—At the place house in this city a book has been placed on sale which was printed in 1690 and which is the property of "Grading Brin of Kaukauna." The book is printed in French, Spanish and Dutch and is bound in pigskin.

## New Grass Twine Company.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—The Grass Twine Company, which was incorporated with a capital stock of \$250,000. It will manufacture grass binding twine and matting and become a competitor of the Northwestern Grass Twine company.

## Sent to Insane Asylum.

Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Arthur Ensford, who attempted suicide while lodged in a cell at the county jail, has been committed to the Northern Hospital for the Insane.

Closing Farmers' Institute.  
Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The closing farmers' institute will be held in this city on March 10, 20 and 21.

## ASKED TO CONSTRUCT A PECULIAR WILL.

Judge to Decide Who Owns One of  
Kenosha County's Most Valuable Farms.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—A petition has been filed in the county court by an attorney, representing the heirs of George Thompson, late of the town of Randall, asking the county judge to make a construction of the last will and testament of the late William Thompson and settle the question as to the ownership of the eighty-acre farm which was left by William Thompson at the time of his death in 1895. The will gives all the property to one Robert Richardson of Burton, Ia., to hold the same in trust for the son of William Thompson, George Thompson, who was regarded as of unsound mind by the testator. It also gives a certain sum to a sister of the testator, which was to be paid annually until the time of her death. The will was declared void, but long after the death of the testator an unexpected event happened in the marriage of the surviving son. More lately the son has died and leaves behind a number of children who, the attorney claims, should share in the estate. Henry Hastings has been appointed as administrator of the estate of the son, and he is now seeking to discover whether the land in question is a part of the estate or whether it shall remain in trust as the property of Robert Richardson. A strong light will be made both by the heirs of Richardson and by the testator's son and brother of George Thompson, to secure control of the property in question. It is alleged that the intention of William Thompson was to give the property as a support to his son, whom he considered as incapable of making a living, and on this account the other heirs claim that the property should be given to the heirs of William Thompson. The farm in litigation is one of the most valuable in the town of Randall and it is said to be worth a large sum of money.

## HAD \$20 GOLD PIECES.

Evidence in Paulson Murder Trial  
to Show Defendant Went Under  
Assumed Names.

Alma, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The first week of the Paulson murder trial has been very interesting. Forty-eight witnesses have been on the stand for the state, who have testified that the defendant used \$20 gold pieces when making purchases and passed himself off under different names. He is said to have had trouble with different parties with whom he came in contact in the vicinity of Fossion and Thief River Lake, where he spent his time until rearrested in April, 1906, by E. W. Smith, marshal at Fossion, Minn. At Fossion he was known as Tom Flynn. It is said that while in Fossion jail Paulson made statements that he had lived in Muskegon, Mich. James Einhart of Thief Lake testified that he knew defendant as Tom Flynn and later corresponded with him under the name of John Riley, producing the letters.

## MURDERED IN CHICAGO.

Friends Search in Vain for Henry  
Segel of Waukesha Who Mysteriously Disappeared.

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The friends of Henry Segel, the missing Waukesha, Wis., man, now believe that he was murdered by Chicago thugs. The Knights of Pythias lodge with which Segel affiliated has appealed to all of the Chicago lodges to prosecute a search for the missing man. The theory is also advanced that Segel was followed to Chicago the day he disappeared by money who knew he had a large sum of money in his possession and who plotted his death.

Segel left here three weeks ago for his home in Waukesha county, Wis. He had been staying here for some time. It is known that he had a large sum of money which he carried with him. The last heard from Segel was the day he arrived in Chicago. From there no trace of him can be found.

## TWO MURDER TRIALS.

Sensational Cases on the Circuit  
Court Calendar at West  
Superior.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The February term of circuit court commenced today. The morning was taken up with the calling of the calendar. The case against Ada Arlington for murder will come up next Friday. Another case that will attract a great deal of interest will be the Claybourn murder case, in which William Claybourn is charged with smothering his wife's head with an axe. This will come up in a week.

## BLESS THEIR THROATS.

Five Thousand People Attend Ceremony at Marinette.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 5.—The ancient custom of blessing the throats was very generally observed by Marinette Catholics on St. Blas's day. In blessing the throats the priest places two lighted candles crossed behind the chin, and then repeats the words of blessing. It is supposed to protect one from the disease prevailing during the winter and especially throat troubles. It is estimated that at least over 5000 people had their throats blessed.

## SUPERIOR MEN APPOINTED.

Col. Hoyt and Maj. Eaton on Staff of  
G. A. R. Commander.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Col. Charles C. Hoyt of this city has been appointed aide-de-camp with the rank of colonel, on the staff of Leo Rassieur, commander-in-chief of the National G. A. R. This makes two from Superior on the staff. Maj. Eaton having been appointed a couple of days ago. The staff is at the national camp-meeting at Cleveland this summer.

## FREEZES TO DEATH.

Death of an Aged Man Near  
Ashland.

Ashland, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Thomas Quinn, a woodsman about 60 years of age, was found frozen to death near Glidden. Quinn was an employee of Leonard's camp near Glidden, and is well known around Chippewa Falls and Eau Claire.

## Burglar Is Routed.

Ladysmith, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Night Watchman Erdmann discovered a burglar in the rear of Carpenter's saloon at 2:30 this morning apparently attempting to effect an entrance. He ran on being discovered and the watchman fired two shots. The fellow escaped to the river.

## Held on Serious Charge.

Keweenaw, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—John Gillis and Joseph Crivillan, two young men of the town of Rice River, are lodged in the county jail here pending the outcome of a trial for assault upon Mrs. Kate Vanderstoppen, 68 years of age.

## SHOOTING IS COMMENCED.

Mrs. Nation's Anti-Saloon Crusade  
Becomes Serious.

## MEN GUARD JOINTS.

Kansas Woman Wrecks a Restaurant  
Before Breakfast Today and Is  
Placed Under Arrest.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 5.—At 5:30 o'clock this morning Mrs. Nation and five of her followers wrecked the Senate saloon. Mrs. Nation was injured. The police have her in charge. One shot was fired. Mrs. Nation arose at 4:30 and soon afterward started on a tour of the "joints." Accompanied by Mrs. J. P. White and Miss Madeline Southard, she attempted to enter a place at 830 Kansas avenue. The man on duty was taken unawares, but managed to disarm Mrs. Nation and bolt the door before any of the party could enter. Mrs. Nation afterwards said her friends held her and prevented her going in through the window. The next place visited was 406 Kansas avenue. The woman entered without meeting resistance, but a colored man quickly seized Mrs. Nation and took her hatchet. In the scuffle Mrs. Nation was struck on the right temple by the hatchet, but she did not lose consciousness. She and she once seized the hatchet carried by Mrs. White. She turned over two large slot machines and smashed the glass in front of each. A large refrigerator and the bar fixtures were quickly demolished. All the liquor behind the bar was spilled on the floor. With a hatchet Mrs. Nation knuckled the head of a barrel of beer. The beverage spouted out and completely drenched her. At this juncture the colored porter discharged his revolver into the ceiling to frighten the crusaders. The woman was attracted by the shot and escorted Mrs. Nation to the police station. Here she and her little band of followers held a short praise service and lectured those in charge of the station.

Another Round Begun.  
After a brief hearing Mrs. Nation was dismissed and immediately began another round of the "speakeasies."

The saloon at 406 Kansas avenue, wrecked during Mrs. Nation's first round this morning, was one of the finest and most complete in its equipment of any in the city. It was fitted up with handsome cherry bar, a mirror at the end of the room was valued at \$500. Probably \$1000 worth of property was destroyed in this place alone.

## Yesterday's Performance.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Nation and a band of six women met defeat and were repulsed in an attempt to wreck a saloon yesterday afternoon. Before the little crowd of hatchet-wielding women would give up their attempt there was a fierce battle in the street, in which men and women fought, the women vainly trying to force an entrance to a place guarded by men hired for the purpose. While the men were using their clubs and batons, Mrs. Nation, who was in the lead, was injured and disarmed. She was led away by police and her supporters, losing courage, gave up the attack.

Eyes were blackened and noses smashed during the battle, but the saloon fixtures remained unscathed. Mrs. Nation was arrested for disturbing the peace and released on her own recognizance.

The saloon men have negroes hired to watch their places of business and have orders to shoot any person who attempts to enter their saloons. Mrs. Nation announced yesterday that a mob would be made on a drug store and a saloon today. Nine women volunteered to aid her and the band went to buy hatchets. While they were buying the hatchets there came in a woman who Mrs. Nation had spent all of her money in Murphy's store and before.

"Well, let's go and smash it right now," said Mrs. Nation, and the other women agreed.

## Mrs. Nation Leads Attack.

Surrounded by her army, Mrs. Nation led the way down Kansas avenue. She was followed by hundreds of people, who trumped behind and before her in the deep snow, shouting like a mob. Mrs. Nation had no hatchet. She stopped at a store and bought one. The procession went on until they reached the saloon. East Sixth street, was reached. A few minutes before 3 o'clock. Then the women, led by Mrs. Nation, made a rush for the door. The hatchet was jerked from her hand by a stout man, and the women were forced back.

A fierce fight followed between the crusaders and the saloon men. Mrs. Nation's followers, for a quarter of an hour they struggled in the street, while the mob yelled encouragingly to Mrs. Nation. The police seemed without power to stop the battle. Finally, in despair, they arrested Mrs. Nation and took her to jail. The crowd followed her and the restaurant was left unharmed. Mrs. Nation was not injured.

## Wreck Saloons at McCune.

McCune, Kas., Feb. 5.—Fifteen women armed with hatchets and clubs destroyed two saloons here. The crusaders assembled at a dry-goods store with their weapons under their cloaks. They passed out of the rear of the store and walked down an alley, reaching one of the saloons. They were in the bathroom before their presence was detected. The bartender and his half dozen customers fled through the front door, leaving the place at the mercy of the women. In less than a minute there was not a glass or mirror in the place. The women with hatchets broke the liquor kegs, allowing their contents to spill on the floor.

The women then crossed the street to the other saloon. The place was locked, but the door yielded to the hatchet. The keeper pleaded with the women not to destroy his goods, promising to leave town, but they proceeded to smash the fixtures and spill the liquor. The women then separated and returned to their homes. They were well, but it is said all are wives of prominent citizens.

## SHOT IN THE MOUTH.

Secretary Everett of United States  
Legation at Guatemala City,  
Commits Suicide.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 5.—A cablegram received here from United States Minister Hunter, at Guatemala City, states that Sydney E. Everett, secretary and charge of the United States legation there, committed suicide yesterday by shooting in the mouth. He had suffered a long illness, and it is understood that the act was committed in a temporary aberration of mind.

Mr. Everett was appointed from Massachusetts, being a son of a former chief of the diplomatic bureau of the state department. He was appointed to the consular service, as consul at Batavia in May, 1897, and was appointed to Guatemala City June 19 last. His parents are residents of Washington.

## CAPTURED BY THE BOERS.

British Stronghold at Meddersfontein Is Taken.

## MARCH OF INVASION.

Dewet Engaged in Fomenting Rebellion Among the Dutch Settlers in Cape Colony.

London, Feb. 4.—Kitchener reports the capture of another stronghold by the burger fighters, not far from Krugersdorp, where one of the largest forces of the British is stationed.

Following is Lord Kitchener's dispatch received by the war office:  
Pretoria, Feb. 2.—Our post at Meddersfontein, on the Gatsrand, southwest of Krugersdorp, was captured by 1200 Boers. The relief column sent out from Krugersdorp failed to prevent the fall of the post. No details are yet at hand, but officers and men captured at the post are arriving at Vereeniging.

## On a Dark, Rainy Night.

Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief in South Africa, reports to the war office as follows, from Pretoria:

"Our casualties at Moddersfontein were two officers killed and two wounded. It appears that the post was rushed on a pitch-dark night, during a heavy rain, the enemy numbering 1400 with two guns. Campbell, south of Middleburg, engaged 500 Boers, who were driven back. Our casualties were twenty killed or wounded. French is near Bedford, moving east and driving the enemy with slight opposition. Four of our ambulances, while seeking wounded, were held there. The doctors were released. Dewet's force is reported south of De-wetsdorp."

Boers in Portuguese Territory.  
Another dispatch was received from Lourenco Marques which says that there is a command of 2000 Boers in Portuguese territory. It is supposed that their intention is to rescue the Boers imprisoned there.

The Portuguese authorities have decided to remove to Madeira such Boer refugees as decline to surrender to the British.

The only comforting piece of news comes from Bloemfontein, which announces that the British have recaptured Petersburg.

Gen. Debeir is believed to be making progress in his march on invasion of Cape Colony. Dutch settlers in the southeastern part of the colony will be armed to join the Boer forces. This may precipitate a general rising of the Afrikaners.

Gen. Dewet's latest efforts, marked from the time he crossed the colony border, have been directed not so much against British posts as toward the aim of fomenting a general rebellion among the already seditious Dutch and Anglo-phobe elements in the various districts.

He studiously avoids conflicts with the British army for the present, hoping to have gathered sufficient strength to engage in a pitched battle.

The territory selected by Dewet in the southwestern portion of the colony is inhabited altogether by Boer sympathizers and it is believed that his army has already been greatly increased.

Lourenco Marques, Feb. 4.—In view of the possibility of a Boer raid all the ammunition surrendered by burghers at Komatipoort has been loaded on lighters and moored in the bay.

## CRITICISM OF LONG.

Sampson-Schley Controversy in the  
Way of Action on Certain Naval  
Appointments.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—The Sampson-Schley controversy was precipitated in the Senate by Mr. Chandler, who read and criticized the letter of Secretary Long to Senator Morgan. Mr. Hale explained what had been done for the naval officers, and referred to the nominations sent in during the last Congress. He said that owing to the Sampson-Schley controversy they could not be acted upon before the Congress expired. He said he expected the nominations would be sent in again this Congress, but no action had been taken by the executive.

Mr. Chandler said there were many mistakes in the letter of the secretary. Mr. Pettibrew declared the whole trouble arose because the President and secretary desired to promote Sampson, who, he said, was the victor in the battle over Schley, who did the fighting. The administration, he said, seemed to promote men who did no fighting during the Spanish war.

Mr. Teller criticized the publication of the letter and said the secretary knew if he desired to promote Sampson, he should have said so. Mr. Morgan said he did not know how the letter got into print. This closed the incident.

## JEALOUSY LEADS TO SUICIDE.

Wealthy Man Dies After a Quarrel  
With His Wife.

Patterson, N. J., Feb. 4.—A sensational suicide shocked Patterson when John Dittmer, a wealthy contractor and major in the army, died after drinking carbolic acid after having a violent quarrel with his wife. Dittmer had been away from home three nights a week, presumably on business. His wife learned from her son that the father had been living a double life.

The woman upbraided her husband, threatening exposure and divorce. Dittmer was taken by surprise, left the house hurriedly and in the back yard drank the fatal dose and was beyond help when a physician arrived. He was 47 years of age, had eight children and for twenty years had been in business here. The name of the other woman in the case is unknown. She is said to be young and beautiful.

## ATE "DOCTORED" PORK.

One Person Dead and Four Others of  
a Family Seriously Sick.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 4.—As a result of eating pork supposed to have been "doctored" with some sort of preservative, a whole family was poisoned. Mrs. Ann Schick, a widow of a former well-known coal operator, is dead, and the following are seriously ill: Mrs. Ellen Cuddy, a widow daughter of Mrs. Fox; Ella McCartney, a grand-daughter of Mrs. Fox; Thomas Cuddy, a grandson; James T. Fox and Harry M. Fox.

All ate of spare ribs for supper Saturday night, and within a short time all were writing in agony. Prompt medical attention saved all except Mrs. Fox, who died during the night. The others, though in a critical condition, may recover.

## McKinley Accepts Invitation.

Berkley, Cal., Feb. 4.—President Wheeler of the University of California has received a telegram stating that President McKinley will accept his invitation to address the students of the university on commencement day, May 15.

## Bank Charters Extended.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—The House has passed the bill for the extension of the charters of national banks.

## BIG DAMAGES FOR WOUNDED AFFECTIONS.

Miss Bessie E. Shelburn of Dancy  
Sues Hans Larsen of Waupaca  
for Breach of Promise.

Stevens Point, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Judgment for \$10,000 damages and costs has been awarded to Miss Bessie E. Shelburn of Dancy in her breach of promise suit against Hans Larsen of Waupaca. The judgment was taken by default, the defendant failing to appear.

## PROVOKED FIGHT WITH A BULLDOG.

Woodman Gets the Worst of an  
Encounter at Nathan, Mich.  
May Not Recover.

Marquette, Wis., Feb. 5.—Paul Brunette, a woodman, is likely to die as the result of an encounter he provoked with a ferocious bulldog in the saloon of Erickson & Anderson at Nathan, Mich. Brunette had been warned to look out for the animal, but to show his contempt for danger he laid down on the floor beside the dog. The latter made a lunge and his teeth closed over the man's throat. bystanders pulled off the infuriated animal, but not until one side of Brunette's neck and part of his face was torn away. It is thought he cannot recover.

## LOSES SWEETHEART THROUGH BLUNDER.

While Getting Matters Straightened  
Out Fiancee Falls in Love with  
His Brother.

Waukesha, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Miss Jennie Seidel and Frank Schneider of Lake Five took out a marriage license on January 7, and last week Miss Seidel appeared at the clerk's office and asked for a license to marry William Schneider, a brother of the man whom she had previously taken out a license to marry. She explained that the priest had refused to marry her to Frank, because he already had one wife, so she had decided to marry his brother William. It now develops that Frank Schneider came to the city some time ago and consulted Attorney E. W. Catlin in regard to securing a divorce. Later Mr. Catlin wrote to him and told him how to commence action. Schneider evidently thought Mr. Catlin's letter was a divorce as he wooed and won Miss Seidel and took out a license to marry her, but when he presented the letter to the priest he found out, to his sorrow, that he was still a married man. He came immediately to the city to see Mr. Catlin about the matter, but in the meantime Jennie had fallen in love with his brother William and they are to be married this week.

## MUNICIPAL LEAGUE IS TURNED DOWN.

Common Council of Prairie du Chien  
Won't Grant Saloon Licenses  
According to Law.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The common council last evening turned down a petition offered by the Municipal Improvement league asking that liquor licenses be granted only in strict regard to the law. Permission was given to C. Ecke, a saloonkeeper, to transfer his license to the Metropolitan Opera house, where entertainments were held there. Citizens are indignant and trouble is expected.

## PRIEST'S ROBES ARE SET ON FIRE.

Father Fitzmaurice of Appleton Has  
a Narrow Escape from Being  
Burned to Death.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—The robes worn by Father Fitzmaurice of St. Mary's church took fire and for a moment threatened serious consequences. The fire was extinguished by the quick work of the assistants and a stampede was averted. The priest, however, and the services as if nothing had happened.

## WRONG MAN APPEARS.

Father and Son Get Mixed as to  
Which One is Charged with  
Misdemeanor.

Kaukauna, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—A Kaukauna yesterday came all the way to Menasha yesterday to defend the case of another Menasha man, who accompanied him, but who proved to be the wrong man. Some time ago John Melchor, Jr., who supplies the Kaukauna saloonkeepers with the Menasha Brewing company's beer, was arrested for doing so without a license and cited to appear February 4 before Justice A. G. Koch for trial. Melchor, Jr., went home and told his father, John Melchor, proprietor of the brewery, that he was wanted February 4 at Kaukauna for breaking the law and so yesterday the elder Melchor appeared with his lawyer, only to be told that the action was brought against John Melchor, Jr., and as this gentleman was not to be found, court had to adjourn.

## FOUND DEAD IN BED.

John H. Adams of New York Dies  
While Visiting at Lake Mills.

Lake Mills, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—John H. Adams, aged 64, of Buffalo, N. Y., visiting his sister, Mrs. Ezra Carr, was found dead in bed, having died during the night of paralysis of the heart.

## KILLS HIMSELF IN A SALOON.

Chippewa County Farmer Drinks Car-  
bolic Acid and Dies.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Olef Johnson, aged 25, unmarried, committed suicide in a saloon this morning by taking carbolic acid. He was a farmer in the town of Lafayette.

## The Phonograph in Navigation.

At the last meeting of the Berlin polytechnic society an engineer named Lieber explained a new kind of phonograph for service at sea, writes a Berlin correspondent. By coupling together several membranes, between each of which a microphone is fixed, he has succeeded in so strengthening the tone emitted by all some that any noise can be heard for a distance of three sea miles. It is suggested that by means of this invention a commander at sea will be able to issue his orders to all the ships in his fleet, and that in the same manner ships will be able to communicate with each other in the densest fog. Of course, it would be equally useful on land, and railway accidents, it is thought, may be also greatly diminished, as warnings could be given at long distances apart.

## Breaks His Hip.

Prairie du Sac, Wis., Feb. 5.—[Special.]—Philo Carpenter fell on the sidewalk and broke his hip.

## A Substitute for Benzine.

For years a substitute for benzine has been in demand. The objectionable points about benzine are its high inflammability and volatility, the danger of poisoning the atmosphere, etc. This was one of the chief topics of discussion at last year's chemical congress at Hannover, and this fall the subject came up once more at the meeting at Cassel, when a premium of about \$250 was offered for an effective substitute for benzine, or for means of rendering it less dangerous. Here is a good chance for American genius.—Consular report from Germany.

Chronic Nasal Catarrh poisons every breath that is drawn into the lungs. There is procurable from any druggist the remedy for its cure. A small quantity of Ely's Cream Balm placed into the nostrils spreads over an inflamed and angry surface, relieves immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses, heals and cures. Drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, use Ely's Cream Balm. It is reliable and will cure catarrh, cold in the head and hay fever easily and pleasantly. All druggists sell it at 50 cents, or it will be mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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A trial package free for the cure of Rheumatism. A simple remedy that you may try without spending a cent. Many cases cured of 30 and 40 years' standing. Write to John A. Smith, 28 Germania building, Milwaukee, and request a free trial package.

If Coffee Poisons You.  
runs down digestion, makes you nervous and sallow complexioned, keeps you awake nights and acts against your system generally, try Grain-O, the new food drink. It is made of pure selected grain and is healthful, nourishing and appetizing. It has none of the bad effects of coffee, yet it is just as pleasant to the taste and when properly prepared can't be told from the finest coffee. Costs about 1/4 as much. It is a healthful table drink for the children and adults. Ask your grocer for Grain-O. 15 and 25c.

Runs Two Years Without Winding.  
A Jefferson City (Mo.) jeweler has a clock operated by weights, which will run for two years with one winding.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.  
Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today and get Kemp's Balsam. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

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**New Disease is Threatened.**  
Are Londoners to live on tubes? That is the question which is being asked by a more substantial foundation than underground railways of one kind or another. Where are people who do not care to live on tubes to find peace? Already those who live over the existing electric railway under Oxford street find that their house rooms are in a state of constant vibration, not unlike that produced by a feeble earthquake, and as the process of extension proceeds there will be few thoroughfares of any importance which are not subject to the tremor—a malady that turns out to be a nerve irritant few people can endure. The worst of the outlook is that it is impossible to anticipate the direction which new lines will follow, so that a house taken upon a long lease may become subject to tube vibration. The effect of this new terror is sure to tell upon the nerves of Londoners, and some description of tube affection will be among the malaises of the future.—London Daily Telegraph.

**PRESIDENT OF PRESIDENTS.**  
**A Distinguished Lady, Indeed, Is Mrs. Mary E. Poole, of Whiting, Ind.**  
Whiting, Ind., Feb. 4, 1901.—(Special.)—The presidents of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic have an association composed exclusively of the presidents of the different State associations. This Presidents' Association chooses a president, and to this very high and distinguished position Mrs. Mary E. Poole of this place has been elected. Mrs. Poole is thoroughly deserving of this great honor. Her devotion to the interests of the association is very marked, and her experience with the old soldiers of the G. A. R. is wide. Mrs. Poole is never slow to take advantage of anything that may benefit the veterans, and her zeal has resulted in much that is good to these grand old men. She writes of her experiences: "Honor to whom honor is due, and having seen the numerous cures effected through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I gladly endorse them as being particularly effective to cure that dreaded disease of so many of our old soldiers, Bright's Disease, and Kidney Disorders of different kinds. Kidney Disease soon poisons the entire system, and as a result the vital organs are attacked, and I have found that no remedy so surely, completely and quickly finds the weak spot and heals it as Dodd's Kidney Pills."  
"I have used them myself in slight attacks of biliousness and indigestion, and usually find that from three to four pills do the work."

Such evidence from a lady of so much distinction and experience should convince any sufferer from Kidney Trouble that Dodd's Kidney Pills is the remedy that never fails. 50c a box, six boxes for \$2.50. Buy them from your local druggist if you can. If he can't supply you, send to the Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Overland Journey Too Hard for Dogs.**  
J. E. Keats, one of the earliest settlers of Archibald county, Kas., is dead. In the '30s Mr. Keats was a freighter across the plains. Once he walked from Salt Lake City to the Pacific coast, and back. An Archibald man once told the writer that Keats boasted the ownership of a dog that had walked all the way from the Missouri river to Sacramento, Cal., and that no other dog had ever made this trip on foot. It was a fact well known to Archibald men that dogs could not stand a trip across the plains and the mountains. In the earlier stages they chased rabbits and coyotes until they wore themselves out. Keats probably had a dog that kept itself under the wagon and attended strictly to business.—Kansas City (Mo.) Journal.

**Deafness Cannot be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube becomes inflamed, the sound of the voice is lost, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of this tube, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are cured by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.  
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for free literature.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
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The United Kingdom has nearly twice as many mines as there are in the United States. Germany also gives work to more miners than this country employs, and yet this country turns out a great deal more iron and coal than either of these kingdoms. The reason why we obtain a far greater product with a much smaller mining force is that we use a great deal of improved mining machinery; so that though we pay the highest wages the cost of mining is less in this country than in most European lands.—New York Sun.

**A Remedy for the Grippe.**  
Physicians recommend KEMP'S BAL-SAM as a remedy for patients afflicted with the grip, as it is especially adapted for the throat and lungs. Do not wait for the first symptoms of the disease, but get a bottle to-day and keep it on hand for use the moment it is needed. If neglected the grip has a tendency to bring on pneumonia. KEMP'S BAL-SAM prevents this by keeping the cough loose and the lungs free from inflammation. All druggists sell KEMP'S BAL-SAM at 25c and 50c.

**Large Telescopes Show More Stars.**  
Today the stars visible from the first to the thirtieth magnitude aggregate about 42,000,000, of which nearly 10,000,000 have been photographed. In the most powerful telescopes even the faintest magnitude has been revealed: of this magnitude perhaps 100,000,000 stars are suspected, but knowledge concerning them is uncertain. In the Milky Way alone there are some 10,000 stars separated by vast distances. To the eye at the telescope the sky seems no longer dotted with constellations, but powdered with gold dust.—Indianapolis News.

**What Do the Children Drink?**  
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have them use the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about 1c as much. All grocers sell it 1c and 25c.

**American Flag a Totem.**  
The Sitka Indians have long quarreled over their clan totems, but recently they have held a grand palaver and wisely agreed to make the American flag their only totem.

**Lane's Family Medicine**  
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25c and 50c.  
—There are from eight to ten species of silkworms in this country.

## Some Washington Stories.

The Washington correspondent of the New York World says there is a fishing club with many congressional members that has a clubhouse on the Potomac. Recently a new house committee took hold. After its first meeting these rules were posted:

1. If any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned.
2. If, after being warned, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned again.
3. After being warned the second time, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be warned for the third and last time.
4. If, after being warned for the third and last time, any member of this club drinks more than five cocktails before breakfast he shall be considered hopeless and left to his own devices.

"If an empty barrel weighs ten pounds, what can you fill it with to make it weigh seven pounds?" asked Senator Depew of Senator Spooner.  
"Have to give it up," replied Mr. Spooner.

"Fill it full of holes," answered Mr. Depew, and they both laughed.

The best evidence of Senator Vest's reputation is the fact that he is again telling stories. Recently, in the cloak-room, one of Mr. Vest's colleagues gave an exhibition of absent-mindedness which recalled to the Missouri senator an incident which happened in his state, says the Washington Post.  
"I was at a mass meeting once upon a time," said Mr. Vest, "when we discussed a resolution of some kind or other for several hours. Finally one of the delegates began a speech which wandered all over creation. Someone interrupted him with the remark that he ought to confine his remarks to the resolution."  
"Yes," said Judge Phillips, who was presiding, "the gentleman must speak to the resolution."  
"Let us have the resolution read," suggested someone in the meeting.

"Judge Phillips stooped down and whispered to the absent-minded secretary, 'Read the resolution,' he said."

"What resolution?" asked the secretary, waking up.  
"The one we have been discussing for several hours," replied Judge Phillips.

"The resolution was hunted for high and low, but could not be found. On the secretary's desk there was a bit of paper which looked as if it had been nibbled by a mouse. It was all that remained of the resolution. The absent-minded secretary had eaten the rest."

Ex-Czar Thomas B. Reed strolled out of the Senate restaurant the other day smoking a cigar. He is much thinner now than when he was in Washington, and his clothes hang on him loosely.

"What have you been doing to take off that flesh?" asked a friend.

"Nothing," replied Mr. Reed; "nothing. It just went."

"Come familiar around here. I suppose the friend went on."

"Yes," said Reed, "especially in the Senate restaurant."

Without waiting to fathom this utterance, another friend put in: "Not mixing in politics any more?"

"Not not mixing in politics any more," replied Mr. Reed, "prosperous occupation. Horrible stuff. And yet," mused Mr. Reed, as he started for the Supreme court, "most of these rich men have it."

"Doc" A. W. Smith of Adrian, Mich., was in Washington recently, trying to discover from the Michigan senators whether or not he will be allowed to keep his place as postmaster of Adrian for the next four years.

Everybody calls Mr. Smith "Doc." Smith explains his title by saying: "I suppose nearly everybody who calls me 'Doc' thinks I studied medicine. Now, I got my title in a unique way. I bought a farm near Adrian once. The biggest crop I could raise for years was burdock. The neighbors, in a spirit of fun, began to call my place Smith's dock farm. From that was an easy jump to 'Doc' Smith's farm, and now I am 'Doc' Smith to everybody. Better than a diploma, don't you think?"

Mr. Smith is a big, smooth-shaven man, who wears a long coat and a white tie. His Michigan friends say that once when he was in Detroit he went into a store and bought a hat. He chose a silk hat and asked how much it was.

"Eight dollars," said the hatter. "But we make a discount to your profession. To you the hat will be \$6."

Smith put the hat on again, looked in the glass for a moment and said: "I can't make a reduction for my profession. I'll take the hat, and if the congregation don't like it they can go to hell."

Last winter two little children were standing in front of the main entrance to the Senate chamber, when Senator Chandler and a friend came through the door. One of the little boys, of 11, was wearing a curious, stepped up to him and asked: "Mister, how much does it cost to go in there?" "You had better ask that gentleman coming up the corridor," said the senator from New Hampshire, pointing to Senator Clark of Montana, who was leisurely approaching the entrance.

**GREASE USED AT LAUNCHINGS**  
Big Cost of Getting a Battleship Into the Water.

"The mere act of getting a war vessel into the water costs a lot of money, time and trouble," said an engineer, speaking of the recent launching of several new torpedo-boats. "I spent a year and a half in the designing room of the Cramps' yards," he continued, "and happen to know what I am talking about. Of course, the launching of a little torpedo-boat is comparatively easy, and the cost is not over a few hundred dollars, including flowers and souvenirs and even the bottle of champagne used in the christening. But when it comes to a big armored cruiser or a first-class battleship, it is a horse of a different color, and the actual expense seldom falls below \$500,000. I've known it to go as high as \$800,000."

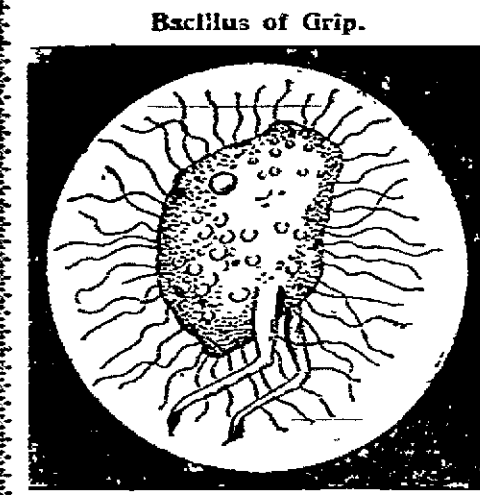
"The building of the ways for the ship to slide down over is the main item, and then comes the greasing. Every inch of timber over which the vessel slides must be covered with a lubricant. Different firms use different substances, but soap and tallow form the main ingredients of them all. At the Cramps' we used a layer of beef tallow and a layer of soft soap, and taken altogether between one and one and a half tons of the stuff was required to put a more on the average big ship. The tallow is spread on first, to the depth of about three fingers, and the workmen use big flat trowels to make the surface as smooth as possible. Then they pour over the soft soap, which is just thick enough to run, or about the consistency of tar."

"As a general thing the double coating answers the purpose admirably, and the ship slides into the water as if it was sailing on air. If it sticks, as has happened in a few cases, it is likely to spring some of its plates, and accidents of that kind are so costly that nothing is spared to avert them."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Mr. Le Jecks: "Well, Miss Coldcash, I suppose you received a good many birthday cards?" Miss Coldcash (sweetly): "Oh, yes; and there was one particularly dainty and artistic." Mr. Le Jecks (delighted): "What makes you think so?" Miss Coldcash: "Because I sent it to you on your last birthday."—Tit-Bits.

## EPIDEMIC OF GRIP WORST EVER KNOWN

GRIP BACILLUS EVERYWHERE—IN THE AIR WE BREATHE.  
IN THE WATER WE DRINK, IN THE FOOD WE EAT.



Magnified 16,000 times.

Peruna not only cures the grip, but prevents it. Taken in time thousands of lives will be saved in this present epidemic. Every family should take the precaution to secure a supply of Peruna at once, for the retail and wholesale stock of the remedy may be exhausted by the enormous demand for it.

—It is wisdom to have Peruna in the house even before the grip attacks the household.

It has been ascertained by a reporter that the following people of national reputation have given public endorsement and testimonials to Peruna as a remedy for the grip:

Congressman Howard of Alabama says: "I have taken Peruna for the grip and recommend it as an excellent remedy to all fellow-sufferers."

Congressman White of North Carolina says: "I find Peruna to be an excellent remedy for the grip. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it."

Miss Frances M. Anderson of Washington, D. C., daughter of Judge Anderson of Virginia, says: "I was taken very ill with the grip. I took Peruna and was able to leave my bed in a week."

Mrs. Harriette A. S. Marsh, President of the Woman's Benevolent Association of Chicago, writes: "I suffered with grip seven weeks. Nothing helped me. Tried Peruna and within three weeks I was fully restored. Shall never be without it again."

At the appearance of the first symptoms of grip people should stay indoors and take Peruna in small doses (teaspoonful every hour) until the symptoms disappear. This will prevent a long, disastrous sickness and perhaps fatal results.

**FREE WINCHESTER Shotguns**  
Our 160 page illustrated catalogue, showing the winning combination in the field or on the trap. All dealers sell them.  
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Some Ingrain carpet is made in New England, but about 90 per cent. of the product comes from Philadelphia.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

—The Liberty statue in New York is 151 feet high, the pedestal is 155, and the total height above low water mark is 305 feet and 11 inches.

**MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP** for children teething; softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures colic, 25 cents a bottle.

—New York coroners with their staffs cost the taxpayers more than \$150,000 a year.

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—In Germany oranges cost 60 to 70 cents a dozen.

**THE SPENCERIAN BUSINESS College**, Milwaukee, is the oldest and best school of business and shorthand in Wisconsin. Circulars free.

—Grand Rapids, Mich., has a free skating rink.

**W. W. FEEBE, M. D.**, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, 178 Wisconsin St., N. Y. City. Office hours from 10 to 12 and 3 to 5.

—The sugar cane grows from 6 to 26 feet high.

**Cost of New York's Waterworks.**  
New York city has the most expensive waterworks plant in the country. It has cost, up to date, \$115,529,748.

**Uncle Sam Aims**  
to buy the best of everything, which is why he uses Carter's Ink. He knows what's good.

—A rich strike has been made at Sunshine, Cal., in Detroit mine No. 1. An assay showed over fifty ounces of \$1000 in gold per ton of ore.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Endsley, Yonkers, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

—At Hampton, Va., Mrs. Charles Jernegan died from blood poisoning as the result of having a tooth pulled.

—One running twenty ounces in gold per ton has been uncovered in the Child mine near Keystone, S. D.

**CARDS FREE**—Send ten addresses of young people interested in business or shorthand education and receive one doz. cards written on American-made paper. Cream City Business College, Milwaukee.

—A placer miner near Bridgeport, Ore., is credited with having found a nugget that weighed \$1000.

**PUTNAM FADELESS DYES** do not spot, streak or give your goods an unevenly dyed appearance.

—There are six species of mosquito found in New England.

**For the Family**  
All ages hail with delight the coming of the most wonderful, meritorious preparation that will lighten the ills of humanity and will do away with the taking of obnoxious, violent purges, inconvenient liquids, and pills that tear your life out. Simply because in CASCARETS Candy Cathartic you will find just what you want, convenient in form, pleasant of taste (just like candy) and of never-failing remedial action. They have found a place in millions of homes, and are the favorite medicine of the whole family, from baby to good old grandpa.  
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Grand Rapids, Wis., Feb. 9, 1901.

## THAT SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

WOOD COUNTY farmers should be thankful for one thing, and that is that if the ship subsidy bill is passed that probably some time in the future when they wish to take a trip to Europe they can go over on a boat built by American workmen, manned by American seamen and commanded by an American captain. We do not know as any of our farmer friends will ever care to take a trip abroad, but if they should there is nothing like being prepared. Then another advantage will be that the farmer will know that his wheat, if he happens to be raising wheat, will be carried across the pond in a ship, to the building of which, he has proudly contributed his share of a certain ninety millions of dollars that it will cost to keep the little game running. We do not see where he will share in the profits of the scheme but then there is no need to worry about the matter, any republican newspaper can explain this part of the thing to the satisfaction of the editor of the paper, at least.

It is amusing to see the manner in which many republican papers are trying to justify the steal, for it is no better than a steal. A great many of these alleged newspapers are not saying anything about the measure for the reason that they do not know anything about it; and are afraid to say anything for fear that it will be the wrong thing, while others are running plates that they buy in Chicago thinking that these evidently will cover the ground better than they could do if they studied the matter up. Others have made a few inoffensive cracks about "nursing infant industries," etc., that were pitiable in the extreme. It would be interesting to know how they discovered that shipbuilding was an "infant" industry. It must be a case of "second childhood."

It cannot be that even republicans appreciate that the ship subsidy bill is a gigantic fake from start to finish, that it would rob the poor that the rich might be made richer, that it is founded on and bolstered up by misrepresentation and false statements, that it is one of the most bare faced steals that has ever been attempted in this great and glorious country. Certainly not, for it is only democrats that would think of doing anything crooked.

Republican papers say that during the last 40 years our exports have increased four times, but during this same time American shipping has decreased two-thirds! Doesn't this look very much like a perfectly natural death?

Suppose one of our railroads here should start in from today and gradually run down in equipment until in the course of forty years it was only able to handle one-third the business it is now doing, notwithstanding that our city had increased so much that our commerce was four times what it is today, the cause of their downfall being that the road was unable to procure coal as cheaply as the other railroads, would there be any excuse for our people to vote them a subsidy of \$50,000 more a year simply because one of the directors of the road lived in this city while the directors of all the other roads lived in Chicago or New York? Of course there would not, and all of our people can easily understand the case, as it is right at home.

When the Northwestern people talked of building their road here we did not notice any of our citizens tumbling over themselves to grant them aid or make them presents of right of way. Well, hardly. They just tacked on a price that was about double what the property was worth, (or would sell for, we should say, as property is worth all you can get for it), and generally got their price, too. And yet the Northwestern road was an infant industry so far as this place was concerned, and should have been protected. The people's plan was all right. The simplest man knew that if the coming of the road was not going to be a paying investment for the road, it would be nonsense to induce it to come. So it is with American ship owners. If they cannot make a living out of the business without the American public going down into its pocket and handing over 90,000,000 of dollars, the best thing they can do is to go into something that they can make a living at. If it is not a paying investment for one man it will not be a paying investment for the whole nation.

We should like to know what possible difference it would make to one of our farmer friends out in Sigel whether the wheat he raises is shipped across the ocean in an American ship or not; still he will have to pay his share of the ninety millions.

We are told that with the stimulus that the subsidy would give our merchant marine there would immediately commence a freight war that would bring rates much below what they are now. This is the veriest twaddle of all. It they could cut rates under those circumstances one would think that by plodding along and attending strictly to business and not cutting rates they would be able to carry at a profit under the circumstances now existing.

When we say it would be a gigantic steal from the people we do not mean that the men who want the bill passed are thieves. So far as we know they may be honest men and we hope for the good of the country that they are, and they may not see a cent of the money, but we do think that the public would be fleeced out of fifty millions of dollars each year and not receive any return therefor.

## Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL ROOMS, February 5, 1901.  
Council met in regular session. Mayor Goggins being absent. President Wood presided.

Aldermen present—Wood, Lutz, Reiland, Furrish, Kruger, Pratt, Bunde, Otto, Anthofer, Oberbeck, Schnabel, Rossier, Hill and Boles.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The street committee together with Alderman Pratt reported that the wagon bridge across the river was in poor and dangerous condition. The committee was then authorized to have the bridge repaired at once.

The city engineer reported as to the water flow from the northwest part of the city to Rademacher and Young's creeks. The matter of draining that part of the city together with the city engineer's report was on motion referred to the alderman from the fifth ward.

The committee appointed to recommend the amount of salaries to be paid to the several city officers, report such amounts as follows:

Mayor, \$100 per year.  
City Clerk, \$250 per year.  
City Treasurer, \$300 per year.  
City Attorney, \$150 per year.  
Assessor, \$3 per day for actual work.  
Day Police, \$420 per year.  
Night Police, \$350 per year.

Moved and carried that the report be amended so that the day police shall receive \$480 per year, and the night police receive \$420 per year.

Report as amended was adopted.

The committee to whom was referred the petitions of the Princeton & Northwestern Railway Co., asking the vacation of certain portions of Franklin and Wisconsin streets, west side, made the following reports:

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the said city of Grand Rapids: We, the undersigned committee, to whom was referred a petition, praying for the vacating of a certain portion of Franklin street, beg to report as follows:

We find the above petition to be signed by the requisite number of signers as required by statute.

We further report that notice was duly posted in three public places in the said city of Grand Rapids, that said petition would be acted upon by the common council of the said city of Grand Rapids on this 5th day of February, A. D. 1901.

We recommend that ordinance No. 71, vacating all that portion of Franklin street prayed for, be passed by your honorable body.

Dated February 5th, A. D. 1901.  
JOHN SCHNABEL,  
N. REILAND,  
G. M. HILL,  
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To the Honorable, the Common Council of the said city of Grand Rapids: We, the undersigned committee, to whom was referred a petition, praying for the vacating of a certain portion of Wisconsin street, beg to report as follows:

We find the said petition to be signed by the requisite number of signers, as required by statute.

We further report that notice was duly posted in three public places in the said city of Grand Rapids, that said petition would be acted upon by the common council of the said city of Grand Rapids on this 5th day of February, A. D. 1901.

We recommend that ordinance No. 72, vacating all that portion of Wisconsin street prayed for, be passed by your honorable body.

Dated February 5th, A. D. 1901.  
JOHN SCHNABEL,  
N. REILAND,  
G. M. HILL,  
DAVID LUTZ, JR.

Reports accepted and ordinances unanimously adopted (may be seen in legal form.)

We, the committee to whom was referred the question of disputed title to lot 13, block 31, Neeve's addition to the city of Grand Rapids, report that the parties claiming title, and recommending that same be approved and that the mayor and clerk be authorized to execute the deed as stipulated and agreed upon.

(Signed)  
N. REILAND,  
H. S. BOLES,  
W. E. WHEELAN,  
Committee.

(The above agreement is on file.)  
Mrs. Geo. R. Gardner, Clark Lyon, Martin Sear, James McDonough and Grand Rapids Lumber Co. asked for rebate on tax on account of error in assessment. The same was referred to the finance committee to report at the next meeting.

The West Side Fire Company's bowling alley tax was on motion authorized rebated.

The following petition of the Consolidated Water Power Company, signed by from 250 to 275 tax-payers, was presented to the council:

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin: We, the undersigned, residents and taxpayers of said city, respectfully represent and petition as follows:

WHEREAS, The Consolidated Water Power company, a corporation, the business and purposes of which is the purchase and improvement of water powers and lands on the Wisconsin river, and the renting and sale of all such mills, machinery, fixtures and tools, if any, that may be or have been acquired by said corporation in the purchase of water power and lands, is the owner of the greater portion of the shores, water power and riparian rights and privileges thereto appurtenant, of the Wisconsin river within the limits of the city of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, as it now runs through said city, and

WHEREAS, The said Consolidated Water Power company contemplates the further development and improvement of the water power of said Wisconsin river within the corporate limits of this city in order that the same may be more fully utilized and to this end propose to build, construct and maintain a dam in said river at this point, capable of furnishing at least five thousand (5,000) horsepower, as soon as and as rapidly as the same can be conveniently done, said dam to be built at a cost of about seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), provided, that the common council of said city of Grand Rapids will pass an ordinance or resolution agreeing, on its part, that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit, for a period of five years, such portion of the taxes as may be legally levied and assessed on said dam and

all other real estate owned and used by said Consolidated Water Power company, its successors or assigns, in the improvement and development of said water power, as shall be in excess of what the taxes thereon during each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation for the year 1900, intending hereby that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit any and all taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property on account of improvements made by said company, its successors or assigns during said period of five years, said period of five years commencing with the first year's taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property after the first day of January, 1902, and

WHEREAS, Nels Johnson and J. D. Witter, together with certain other persons, contemplate the formation and organization of a corporation, the business and purpose of which shall be the building, erection, construction and operation of a power house, paper mill and pulp mill, to be run and operated in connection with said dam within the corporate limits of the city of Grand Rapids, at a cost of from at least two hundred thousand to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, together with various other improvements designed to promote the development and utilization of said waterpower, provided, the common council of said city will pass an ordinance or resolution, agreeing on its part that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit, for a period of five years, such portion of the taxes as may be legally levied and assessed on said power house, paper mill and pulp mill, and all real estate necessarily used in connection therewith, owned by said proposed corporation, its successors and assigns as shall be in excess of what the taxes would be during each of said five years if based upon the assessed valuation of said real estate for the year 1900, intending hereby that the said city, by and through its said common council, will annually remit any and all taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said real estate on account of the improvements made thereon by the said proposed corporation, its successors or assigns, during said period of five years commencing with the first year's taxes that may be legally levied and assessed on said property after the first day of January, 1902.

It being understood that no exemption from taxation of any personal property which said corporation may own and which personal property is properly taxable in said city in requested herein.

We, therefore, believing that the benefits to be derived and received by us individually from the increased value of all property in the city and the additional commercial and industrial facilities resulting therefrom will fully compensate us and will promote the best interests of our city, most respectfully petition and request your honorable body to adopt such order, resolution or ordinance as will most effectually secure the exemption from taxation of said real estate above mentioned for said period of five years.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Schnabel:

Be it resolved, that the prayer of said petitioners be and the same hereby is granted and that that portion of the taxes which may be legally levied and assessed for a period of five years from and after the first day of January, 1902, against said dam and all other real estate owned and used by said Consolidated Water Power company, its successors or assigns in the improvement and development of said water power, as shall be in excess of what the taxes each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation for the year 1900, be and the same are hereby remitted and cancelled, and

It is further resolved, that that portion of the taxes which may be legally levied and assessed for a period of five years from and after the first day of January, 1902, against the power house, paper mill and pulp mill and all other real estate necessarily used in connection therewith owned by said proposed corporation to be organized by the said Nels Johnson and J. D. Witter and other persons as aforesaid its successors or assigns, as shall be in excess of what the taxes thereon during each of said years would be if based upon the assessed valuation of said real estate for the year 1900, be and the same are hereby remitted and cancelled.

Moved and carried that the petition and resolution be referred to a committee of three to be appointed by the chair to investigate and report on the same at the next meeting of the council. Reiland, Rossier and Boles were appointed as such committee, and the city attorney was requested to act with them.

Moved and carried that when the council adjourn, it adjourn to next Tuesday evening, February 12th.

Moved and carried that Mr. D. D. Conway have permission to withdraw the above petition providing he file a copy of same with the committee tomorrow.

Moved and carried that the council rebate the tax on the real estate or mill property and site of the Grand Rapids Lumber Co. as per exemption given said company by the council of the city of Centralia, with the understanding and agreement between the Grand Rapids Lumber Co. and the council that said lumber company pay their tax on all their real estate and personal property in the future and that none of said tax be rebated.

Ordinance No. 70 amending ordinance No. 69 relating to the water works and electric light, was presented and unanimously adopted. (It may be seen in legal form.)

Under suspension of the rules the following bills were allowed:

E. A. Upham, recording deed	\$ 75
E. L. Fontain, printing	31 60
Ed. Phillee, sewer plans, taking levels, etc.	108 00
F. J. Wood, repairs paid for library rooms, Gitchell & Lubeck	2 55
B. Metzger, repairs to stone truck and plow	2 20
J. F. Moore, repairs on tools	45
F. J. Wood, paid Steib for wood for library	3 00
Twin City Electric Co., Jan. light	248 91
T. J. Cooper, superintendent of water works, salary to February 1, 1901	18 75
M. J. Gordon, lumber	67
F. Nowaratzky, lunch for	

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flood hands	95
John McCarthy, repairing tools	4 50
Chas. F. Loweth, report and estimate cost of water wks	150 00
The city teams were on motion authorized to haul the wood the city has now on hand in the country.	
Water works engineer reported expense of pumping station for January to be \$158.79. Water pumped, 2,525,829 gallons.	
The treasurer's report for December was presented as follows:	
December 1st, by overdraft \$15,680 88	
By orders paid during month 1,632 62	
To tax collected to	
Jan. 4th	\$ 5,080 71
By overdraft	12,252 79
Treasurer's report for January was presented as follows:	
Jan. 4, by overdraft	\$12,252 79
By orders paid during month	2,188 26
Total	\$14,441 05
Feb. 1st, to tax collected	\$36,673 35
To water rental	5 00
Total	\$37,193 38
Balance on hand	\$22,752 33
Total	\$37,193 38
Report accepted and ordered filed. Council on motion adjourned until Feb. 12, 1901.	
M. W. Mosher, City Clerk.	

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**GRAND RAPIDS.**

**Ordinance No. 70.**  
An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 69, relating to Waterworks and Electric Light: The Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:  
SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 69 is hereby amended by inserting after the words "hereinafter directed" at the end of Section 1, the following: The city of Grand Rapids hereby agrees and contracts with the said company, its successors and assigns for a period of thirty years not to grant or allow any other person, firm, corporation or firm, except the Twin City Electric company, its successors or assigns, any right or privilege to use any of the streets, alleys, roads, sidewalks, bridges, or public parks, public places, or any other lands owned or controlled by said city of Grand Rapids, for the purpose of placing poles, wires, conduits, pipes, hydrants, valves, or any other apparatus, or appliances for the purpose of supplying electric light, power or water either for public or private use.  
SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication, providing the Twin City Electric Co. files a written acceptance of same with city clerk within ten days after its publication.  
Approved Feb. 5 A. D. 1901.  
B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.  
M. W. Mosher, Clerk.

**Ordinance No. 71.**  
An Ordinance vacating and discontinuing a certain portion of Franklin street.  
The Common Council of the City of Grand Rapids do ordain as follows:  
SECTION 1. It is hereby declared that all of that portion of Franklin street on the west side of the Wisconsin river in the said city of Grand Rapids, west of the west line of Block No. 20 of the original plat of the city of Centralia, now a part of the said city of Grand Rapids, produced south across said Franklin street to the south line thereof is vacated and discontinued.  
SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.  
Approved February 5, A. D. 1901.  
B. R. GOGGINS, Mayor.  
M. W. Mosher, Clerk.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Geo. Hamm was a Pittsville visitor on Sunday.

Jere Case of Pittsville was in town on Wednesday.

Atty. H. E. Fitch of Nekoosa was in town Thursday.

T. E. Nash was in Appleton on business the past week.

Will White spent Sunday with his parents at Pittsville.

Miss Carolyn Briere has been on the sick list the past week.

M. J. Slattery made a business trip to Arpin on Sunday last.

Ed. Bonham visited with relatives in New Lisbon on Monday.

August Ahlhouse of New Rome was here on business Thursday.

Judge Gaynor transacted legal business at Pittsville Thursday.

Mrs. John Henry visited friends in Rudolph during the past week.

Mrs. E. S. Bailey of Vesper was in the city Wednesday shopping.

C. E. Lester made a trip to Madison on Monday, returning Wednesday.

Wm. Scott is in the southern part of the state on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis have been in Milwaukee during the past week.

The Modern Woodmen hold one of their dancing parties this (Friday) evening. Also the Knights of Pythias.

Arthur Sickles was a visitor at Chicago and Madison during the past week.

Aug. Wittenberg and Geo. Hamm took in the sights at Stevens Point on Tuesday.

M. Pillar was at Arpin the forepart of the week in the interest of the W. O. W.

Rev. W. A. Peterson left on Monday for Sturgeon Bay to be absent about ten days.

George B. McMillan has been in Milwaukee and Chicago since Wednesday on business.

Officer James Gibson has been laid up during the past week with sciatic rheumatism.

Chas. Kruger and Martin Beeston transacted business in Babcock on Wednesday.

Geo. Delap, foreman of the Marshfield News, spent Sunday here visiting his many friends.

District Attorney Wiperman was in Madison the fore part of the week on legal business.

Geo. W. Paulus went to Marshfield on Wednesday to spend a couple of days visiting friends.

Herman Stracher of Marshfield was in the city on Wednesday, the guest of Registrar of Deeds Upham.

Dr. D. A. Telfer returned on Friday last from Mazomania. Mrs. Telfer is recovering from her illness.

Atty. J. W. Cochran transacted legal business in Milwaukee and Madison the latter part of last week.

Editor John White of the Marshfield Times favored us with a pleasant call on Tuesday while in the city.

Charles Kellogg was in Milwaukee and other points about the state on business during the past week.

J. W. Cameron of Milwaukee was in the city Thursday and Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cameron.

Cashier F. J. Wood of the Wood County bank went to Milwaukee on Wednesday to spend a couple of days.

Rev. L. Kroil returned on Saturday from Oueda where he had been to take the place of Father Merrill for a week.

L. M. Nash was in Milwaukee Wednesday and Thursday in attendance at the meeting of Wisconsin Hardware dealers.

Reverend Leopold Kroil attended on Thursday the Archdeaconary meeting at Wausau where he delivered an address.

T. W. Horton of New Rome favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Wednesday while in the city on business.

H. H. Kelley visited relatives at his old home at Hancock on Monday and Tuesday, returning to this city on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Taylor of Racine arrived last Friday and will spend a week or more visiting at the home of Mrs. Ernest Oberbeck.

B. W. Lemley and M. J. Balentine of Chicago have been in the city during the past week on business. Mr. Lemley is a former Grand Rapids boy.

J. B. Bridge is visiting L. H. Read at Fruitdale, Alabama, where he expects to spend several weeks. Mr. Bridge is the expert grafter at the Riverdale seed farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Torrance are making their home temporarily in this city. Mr. Torrance being one of the engineers who will have charge of the bridge work at this place.

Paul Zeininger, who has been in Montana for some time braving on the Montana & Western, arrived home on Friday of last week and will visit with his parents for some time.

Rev. Petterson was at City Point on Saturday to conduct the funeral services of the late Thos. Franson, who was killed a few days before by being struck on the head by the limb of a tree.

The order of the Eastern Star at Pittsville have out invitations for a party in that city on Friday evening, February 15. There will be dancing at Ring's Hall and supper at the Masonic hall.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Ridgman and two youngest children left on Tuesday for Fond du Lac to remain the rest of the week. The doctor is a delegate to the high court of the Independent Order of Foresters and he will combine business with pleasure and visit several relatives in the city.

Henry Hardin has gone to Minocqua where he will have charge of a logging engine. His place in the electric light plant has been taken by Albert Otto formerly linesman for the company, and Otto Erdman is now linesman.

A gang of men numbering about fifty who had been engaged on the grading work of the new railroad, passed through the city on Monday on their way to St. Paul, they having been compelled to stop work on account of the frost in the ground.

Mrs. Isabelle McMillan, mother of the McMillan brothers in this city has been quite sick the past few days with a severe attack of grip. The old lady is 87 years of age, but at this writing she is gaining some and it is thought that she will again be about in a short time.

## Society and Club Notices.

The Woman's Historical and Literary society will meet next Monday evening with Mrs. E. A. Tennant.

The Travel class will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Kellogg.

The Ladies' Aid society of the German Moravian church will meet with Mrs. Rev. A. Petterson on Wednesday the 13th of February, 1901. Please remember the date and the place. Come all.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, east side, will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. W. Lyon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. F. J. Wood.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid society will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. N. Pepin.

The M. W. K. club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Burt.

St. Katherine's Guild will meet next Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. I. P. Witter.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church of the west side will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Chas. Gotthe.

## Died in New Mexico.

Stevens Point Gazette: A. G. Cary of this city received a telegram last Wednesday afternoon informing him that his son, Augustus J., was very low at East Lovena, N. M., where he had been ill at the Ladies' Home of Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen for some time. His mother took the midnight train for that point, but did not reach there until after her son's death, he passing away at 6:55 o'clock Friday evening. Death was caused by consumption.

The deceased young man was born at Centralia, in August, 1876, and was therefore in the 25th year of age. He came with his parents from Grand Rapids seven years ago, and for several years was employed on the Central and Northern Pacific railroads. Three years ago while on the latter road, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and for some time was ill in the railway hospital at Brainard, Minn. Going to work before he entirely recovered, he caught cold, which developed into consumption, and he had been able to work but very little since. Some time was spent in California, and later he consulted eminent specialists in New York. One year ago he left for New Mexico, going to Albuquerque and thereafter to Glorieta, camping out and teaching the Mexican children the English language when able to do so. About six months ago, while hunting, he broke one of his ribs and was otherwise injured, but on election day was able to ride 30 miles to vote. His brother, Dudley, who is employed on the Santa Fe road, with headquarters at Albuquerque, was with him when he died. Augustus was a bright and affable young man, well liked by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, and to the parents, sisters and brothers the sympathy of the community goes out.

The funeral will take place from the house, 404 Ellis street, at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, thence to the Episcopal church, with interment in the Episcopal cemetery. It will be under the auspices of the local order of Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which the deceased was a member and in which he was insured.

## A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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During the past few weeks the Boer war and the insurrection in the Philippines have been rather much eclipsed by the antics of Dr. Rodermund and Mrs. Nation. The doctor has been caught, properly fumigated and returned to the bosom of his family, and if the authorities would do the same by Mrs. Nation it is probable that the American people could once more settle down to regular routine business.

For the annual convention National Creamery Buttermakers Association C. M. and St. P. will sell excursion tickets Feb. 18 and 19 return limit Feb. 25 at one fare for the round trip.

Our neighbors at Grand Rapids are to be commended on their movement toward the erection of a new building, to be used as a public gymnasium and amusement hall, with bath rooms and other attachments. It is thought the structure can be erected and equipped for \$10,000, the money to be raised by popular subscription, and many of those approached have taken kindly to the enterprise, subscribing liberally.—Stevens Point Gazette.

—FARM FOR SALE.—A one hundred and twenty acre farm located about three miles from this city on the Rudolph road. A good dwelling house on same. For particulars write to Mrs. P. Walsh, Eagle River, Wis.

—Presidential inauguration ceremonies, Washington D. C., Mar. 4, 1901. C. L. and St. P. will sell excursion tickets at one regular fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip, on Feb. 28, Mar. 1st and 2nd. Return limit leaving Washington Mar. 8th, 1901.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

The county board meets in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 12.

Chas. Heiser, formerly of this city, has opened a saloon at Vesper.

You don't hear a soul kicking for more improvements these tax-paying days.

The family of Fred Duchanic was increased on Monday by the arrival of a baby boy.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boles of the south side on Saturday morning.

The members of the M. W. K. club went to Port Edwards on Wednesday and met with Mrs. W. A. Brazeau.

Claude Conant of the east side ward school treated his scholars to a sleigh ride on Friday night of last week, going to Port Edwards and return.

The Nekoosa Times says Dr. Rodermund should credit himself with \$100,000 for the free advertising that he has obtained by his recent escapade. Rodermund and Roosevelt are the star advertisers of the period.

—A. B. Crawford, Dentist. Office in Reiland building, Grand Rapids. High grade service at reasonable fees.

The second annual ball of the Woodmen of the World at Arpin will be held on Saturday evening, Feb. 16th. A big time is anticipated and Adams' Imperial orchestra of Marshfield have been engaged to furnish music.

—The Coons of Blackville guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. For the benefit of the band.

Louis Collier was brought before Justice Cooper today (Friday), but the case was adjourned until next Wednesday on account of a press of other business.

—Lost—One Scotch Collie dog, golden sable with white nose and four white feet. Finder return to A. W. Bryant and receive suitable reward. Dog had been staying at Natwick's farm, Hansen.

In answer to a "How to get rich" advertisement that appeared in an eastern paper the other day, one of our citizens sent 50 cents, and received this advice: "Advertise as we do: suckers are always plentiful."—Lodi Enterprise.

—Take Rocky Mountain Tea. See it exterminate poison. Feel it revitalize your blood and nerves and bring back that happy, joyous feeling of boyhood days. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

The Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co. have purchased two lumber yards during the past week one being at Endeavor and the other at Packwaukee. The yards were purchased from W. H. Moss and will be run by parties at the different places.

Sophia Johnson, daughter of Fred Johnson of the town of Sherry has been very ill with pneumonia but is gradually recovering. She had an attack of diphtheria last fall and had hardly recovered from the effects of this disease when she was stricken with pneumonia.

—Bridges rivers tunnels mountains, builds cities, gathers up the scattered rays of one's ability. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

Fred Klug of the town of Grant died on Friday of last week at the age of 73 years, death being caused by pneumonia and grip. The deceased had been a resident of that section for a number of years. The funeral occurred on Monday. The deceased was an uncle of Julius Klug of this city.

—All specialties up to date including vocal and instrumental solos. Coons of Blackville.

The school commissioners met last Tuesday evening and although it was confidently expected that a site would be agreed on for the new high school such was not the case. There will be another meeting next Tuesday, however, and the commissioners promise that the matter will be settled.

—F. Pomainville, M. D. Office in rear of Steib's drug store. Telephone at office, No. 35; residence, Centralia, No. 248.

The Adams county case was adjourned until the June session of the circuit court at Friendship. It appears that when the suit comes up again each one of those whose names are claimed to be forgeries will have to be brought into court. This will make a lengthy case.

Saturday was "ground hog day," the day on which Mr. Woodchuck is supposed to come out of his hole, take a breath of fresh air, and if he finds the sun shining go back and remain for six weeks. He found the sun shining on this occasion without a doubt, so there is no doubt about the cold weather coming.

—Dr. J. J. Looze Grand Rapids, office over Wood County Drug store, telephone No. 62. Residence telephone No. 246.

In the unique observation of Chaplain J. T. Bird of the British army, the zodiacal light and the moon were seen together, the moon, within 40 hours of new, being lighted only by earth-shine. This indicates great transparency of the south African atmosphere, and that the zodiacal light is beyond the moon.

An exchange says the laying on of hands for complaints, especially in children, is now taking the place of Christian Science. A mother cured her boy of the cigarette habit with one dose. She laid her left hand on a substantial slipper, and then laid the slipper where it would do the most good. It affected a cure and a relapse is not looked for.

On Saturday afternoon a party of ladies indulged in a sleigh ride to Nekoosa and back, taking supper at the Herrick house. They report a very pleasant time. Those present were Mesdames Nathan Church, G. W. Mason, Sam Church, L. M. Schlatterer, H. Akey, M. H. Lemense, F. P. Daly, N. J. Boucher, John Collier, F. Collier, J. Bogger, Geo. Preston, F. H. Jackson, J. Dolan, W. Dickson, W. Bandler and Eleanor Phillips.

—Dr. J. C. Conniff, Dentist. Office over the Centralia Drug Co.'s store in Daly block, Centralia, Wis. Telephone 182.

W. H. Reeves has accepted a position with the Grand Rapids Lumber Co.

—Do not miss the great plantation scene consisting of Mammy and her Pickanninies also the good old southern melodies sang by the silver-toned quartette, Feb. 12th.

The case of L. C. Gibbs came up on Wednesday, but owing to the absence from the city of both the district attorney and the attorney for the defense the case was adjourned to Saturday.

—Dr. D. Waters, physician and surgeon. Office over Church's drug store, telephone 182. Night calls at Dixon House, telephone 55.

An editor out west printed an item which stated that "the man who was hugging the hired girl had better stop or his name will be published." In a few days about twenty-five citizens paid up their subscriptions and told the editor to "pay no attention to foolish stories goin' around."—Ex.

An editor over in the western part of the state says he has two subscribers who frequently get full, and every time they are in that condition they come in and pay a year in advance. One of them is already credited to 1941 and the fraternity throughout the state are crazy to find out what kind of whiskey he drinks. They want to offer it as a premium.—Ex.

About all the reserved seats have been sold for the home minstrels, Coons of Blackville which occurs next Tuesday evening, and there is no doubt but there will be one of the largest crowds ever seen in the opera house at a paid entertainment. The boys promise us a good show and there is no doubt of their ability to do so. Should the weather permit they will be on the street at 12:30 in a grand full dress parade, headed by the Star band. A dance follows the show.

—Roosters often crow over eggs they did not lay. Same with people who sell an imitation Rocky Mountain Tea, made famous by the Madison Medicine Co.'s advertising. 35c., at Johnson & Hill Co.

Parties in the neighborhood of the Green Bay depot complain that it is a waste of money to buy wood as some party in that section has been in the habit of securing his supply after sunset without paying for it in good hard dollars. One person said that he switched from burning wood to coal, thinking thereby to fool his neighbor with the kleptomaniacal tendencies, but he discovered when too late that the neighbor aforesaid owned a store of the combined wood and coal burning variety, and that he was just as willing to burn coal as wood.

—Dr. Chas. Pomainville, Dentist. Office over J. A. Cohen's store, Grand Rapids, Wis. Telephone 216.

The 20th Century place, No. 2, will probably be opened to the public on Friday, Feb. 22, on which occasion there will be refreshments served to all those that wish to open their heart and help along a good cause. One thing that is needed is a carpet, and if any person has a carpet that would be suitable for a place of this kind and that they wish to donate they may be enabled to do so by communicating with Rev. Petterson on the subject. Also persons having anything of a decorative character may be able to help make the rooms habitable by donating the same.

—Don't miss the great rollerskating specialty introduced by Oak brothers, Red and Bur Oak, Feb. 12th, Coons of Blackville.

A case was tried this week before Judge Cooper, the parties to which are from Pittsville. The suit was brought by Merchant E. S. Bell to recover the cost of some supplies bought by the famous "Doctor" Rader who had the check cashed that did not belong to him and subsequently made himself scarce. The suit was against J. H. Hodgson, who was Rader's partner before that gentleman skipped out. From the evidence it appears that Rader bought the goods and had them charged to himself and Mr. Hodgson, but had not mentioned the matter to Hodgson, so that gentleman did not care to pay for them after the wily doctor skipped out, which is hardly any wonder considering how he had been treated by his supposed friend. Justice Cooper took the matter under advisement and rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff on Friday.

—For fine dental work, go to Dr. D. A. Telfer, office over Wood County National Bank, Grand Rapids. Will be out of town every Monday and Tuesday.

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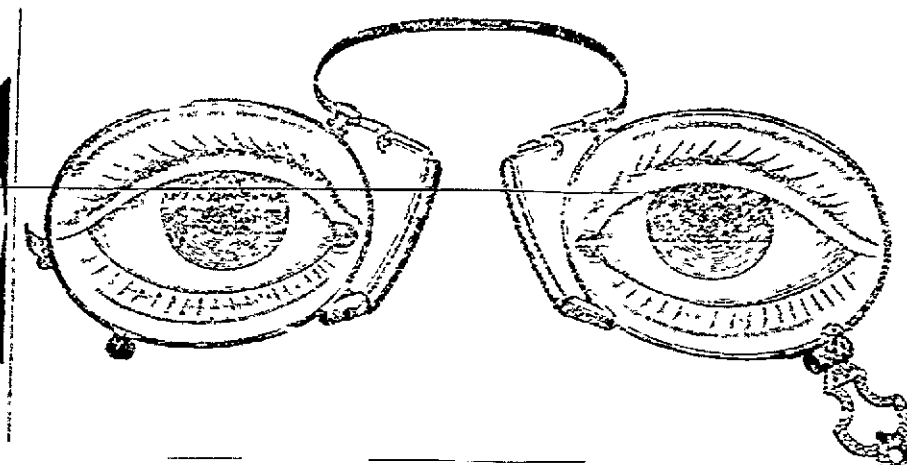


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## GEN. M'ARTHUR GOES UP.

Nomination as Major General Sent to the Senate.

## REWARD FOR SERVICES.

Gen. Miles Selected by the President to be Lieutenant General.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The President set at rest a large amount of speculation regarding Gen. Miles and MacArthur by selecting the former to be lieutenant general and the latter to be major general. The nominations were sent to the Senate today. Brig-Gen. Young and Col. Chaffee are also named as major generals along with MacArthur, the latter, however, taking third place in the order of appointment.

For some time there has been more or less talk of a change of feeling between Gen. Miles and the secretary of war, there would be a new head for the army. The appointment of Gen. Miles to be lieutenant general shows that the President was not seriously influenced by the talk that was indulged in.

Other nominations announced were the following:

Colonels to be brigadier generals: John C. Bates, Second Infantry, U. S. A. (major general U. S. V.); Col. Lloyd Wheaton, Seventh Infantry, U. S. A. (major general U. S. V.); George W. Davis, Twenty-third Infantry (brigadier general U. S. V.); Theodore Schwann, assistant general U. S. A. (brigadier general U. S. V.); Samuel S. Sumner, Sixth Cavalry, U. S. A. (lieutenant general U. S. V.); Robert P. Hughes, Inspector General U. S. A. (brigadier general U. S. V.); George M. Randall, Eighth Infantry, U. S. A. (brigadier general U. S. V.); also Maj. William A. Kobbie, Third Artillery, U. S. A. (lieutenant general U. S. V.); Capt. Frederick D. Grant, U. S. V.; Capt. J. Franklin Bell, Seventh Cavalry, U. S. A. (lieutenant general U. S. V.).

Gen. Young and MacArthur are promoted over Gen. Wade and Meritt, and Gen. Chaffee also is advanced over these two officers, as well as over Gen. MacArthur and Ludlow and fifty-three colonels who had higher relative rank than he in the regular army.

The action in the case of Gen. Chaffee is accepted in military circles as an indication that he is to be placed in supreme command of the military forces in the Philippines and that Gen. Young and MacArthur, who are now in that country, are to be relieved shortly and assigned to duty in the United States.

The law provides for six major generals and the promotion of Maj. Gen. Miles leaves another vacancy in that grade which it is generally understood, will be filled by the appointment of Brig. Gen. J. F. Wade, the senior officer of his grade.

There is still one vacancy in the list of brigadier generals and another will be made by the retirement of Gen. Schwann, who is said to be in failing health. Col. Daggett of the Fourteenth Infantry, who has just returned to San Francisco from active service in China, is believed to be a candidate for promotion. It is expected that he will be retired immediately.

## PERISHED IN FLAMES.

Children Burned to Death in a Fire Believed to Have Been Started by Tramps.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Two persons perished and three were fatally injured in a fire which destroyed the Exposition hotel in this city today.

The dead: Harry Severson, aged about 30 years, a musician, burned beyond recognition; Sid Holland, aged 29, a horseman, suffocated.

Fatally injured: Tom Cook, a racing man, burned about the head and face; John Regan, age, head and body frightfully burned and internally injured in jumping; Dora Darrow, back broken by jumping from a third-story window.

Westminster, B. C., Feb. 3.—A fire, supposed to have been started by tramps, destroyed the residence and farm buildings of Guy Whitehead of Tynehead, and burned to death his two children who were asleep when the flames broke out. Whitehead rescued his wife with difficulty and the two made frantic efforts to save the children but were driven back by the smoke. Search is being made for the supposed incendiaries.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 3.—Fire in the upper story of the First National bank on State street damaged property to the extent of \$30,000 this morning. An adjoining building owned by the Globe Newspaper company was slightly damaged. The wife of the janitor of the bank and her 7-year-old child were rescued from their rooms in the building in an unconscious condition and taken to a hospital, where it is said the woman will die.

The total loss probably will be \$20,000. Wellington, O., Feb. 3.—Fire today razed the postoffice building and destroyed a large quantity of mail. Three other buildings, including the First National bank, were damaged. No estimates have been made, but the losses will amount to several thousand dollars.

## TO PRISON FOR LIFE.

Youtsey, Gov. Taylor's Stenographer, Accused of Complicity in Goebel Shooting.

Georgetown, Ky., Feb. 3.—Henry E. Youtsey, stenographer to Gov. Taylor during his incumbency and who was tried as a principal in the shooting of Gov. William Goebel, today was sentenced to life imprisonment before Judge Cantrell late this afternoon and sentenced to life imprisonment.

When sentence was pronounced Youtsey exclaimed: "I am innocent. I have been convicted by him and infamous misrepresentation of the press."

No appeal will be taken, and the prisoner will be taken to state prison shortly.

A Queen's Wedding Landon.

The marriage of the Queen of the Netherlands is on exhibition on the boulevards of carriage builders in the Boulevard Haussmann, in Paris. It has been sent there to be relined, but has already been used by her majesty Wilhelmina on a few state occasions. It is painted in cream color. "Venus Martin," of great purity of tint, the box seat, the springs and the hubs of the wheels are of a rich orange; the new linings are of white brocade; and the Queen will, they say, have eight white horses, with orange-colored trappings, to take her to church on her wedding day.

## LED BY KING EDWARD.

Military and Naval Escort for Queen's Remains.

## A GORGEOUS PAGEANT.

Every Head Bared as the Gun Carriage, Bearing Remains of Dead Queen, Passed.

London, Feb. 2.—With every circumstance of splendid pomp befitting the obsequies of so mighty and well-beloved a monarch, all that is mortal of Queen Victoria has been borne through the streets of the capital and started towards the ancient fortress palace of the sovereigns of England. The solemn magnificence of yesterday's opening phase of these last rites were duly maintained. Perhaps the stately grandeur of today's sorrowful pageant through the swarming streets of London, with hundreds of thousands of mourners forming a black tide to the route, will never be surpassed. There was in Victoria's funeral procession absence of that black ceremonial generally connected with the final progress to the grave. The coffin was drawn by cream-colored horses. The pall was white, the uniforms of the troops and the gold trappings of the foreign sovereigns, princes and representatives forming a glittering medley, gave brilliant color to the scene. The chief mourner himself, with his field marshal's baton, rode through the throng, his face hidden by his overcoat, surrounded by his corps, helped to lighten the symbols of mourning marking the route.

## Distinguished Mourners.

Never in English history has a sovereign been borne to the grave attended by so many distinguished mourners. The gathering of crowned heads, sovereigns, princes, and the great officers of state participated.

The display of the naval and military forces reached the great total of 35,000 men.

The firing of minute guns and the tolling of bells at a quarter past 11 announced to the countless multitudes who had been crowding London's muddy streets since daylight that the funeral procession with the body of Queen Victoria had begun its passage through the capital.

The scene at Victoria station from early morning was brilliant and impressive. For today's ceremony the station was transformed into an immense reception hall. All trains were stopped before the platform and the center of interest was the long platform covered with purple cloth. On another platform, facing that at which the Queen's train was to arrive, guards of honor composed of blue-jackets and grenadier guards were drawn up. The broad roadway separating the two was green cloth and sandaled, and a number of little purple-covered platforms, from which members of the royal party were expected to mount their horses, were placed at intervals and at the side and center.

At 10 o'clock an army of grooms with the "honor guard" and thereupon distinguished British naval and military officers and foreign royalties, in dazzling uniforms came in quick succession. The lord chamberlain and his officials, bareheaded, with their white wands of office, received the monarch's distinguished personages and conducted them to a little pavilion, erected on the platform.

Resembled a Levee.

The whole station by that time resembled the scene at a levee. The commander-in-chief of the forces, Field Marshal Earl Roberts, on a beautiful spirited brown mare, carrying his field marshal's baton, at this juncture trotted into the station and became the center of interest. He was followed by Earl Marshal, the Duke of Norfolk, and many of the most distinguished British officers. Then came the carriages for the Queen and the princesses. They were the state carriages used on the occasion of the Queen's jubilee, with beautiful gold-mounted harnesses and trappings. The horses were ridden by positions in scarlet jackets, with only a narrow band of crapes on their arms, as a mark of the great change. The carriages were closed.

With the exception that rubber tires were on the wheels, the gun carriage was as it is in usual use. The place for the coffin to rest was over the gun. It was then nearly 11 o'clock when amid cries of "The King of Portugal's horse," the Grand Duke of Russia's horse, and the princess mounted, the train came into the station a minute ahead of time. All heads were uncovered as the saloon carriage, bearing the Queen's remains stopped exactly opposite the gun carriage and King Edward and Queen Alexandra, Emperor William and others alighted. Then the bearer party advanced to the saloon carriage and with his hand at the salute and standing a little in advance of the others, King Edward watched the monarch's removal of the coffin to the gun carriage. It was finally accomplished and the pall and the regalia of the British crown were placed on the coffin.

## All Eyes on the Gun Carriage.

Following the carriages and preceded by an officer came an object at which every officer in the animated throng instinctively came to the salute and every head was turned.

It was the little khaki-colored gun carriage which was to carry Queen Victoria's remains from Victoria to Paddington station. The eight Hanoverian cream-colored horses, which also carried the Queen on the occasion of the jubilee, were used today. The gold harnesses, scarlet-coated positions and scarlet and gold-covered grooms who held each of the horses by the bridle, were all the same. Only the little gun carriage, bedecked with gold and gold coach marked the change.

## Spectators Struggle.

The people fought for hours for a glimpse of the coffin and the King and others following it. They saw a long procession of soldiers, a passing show of dazzling regalia, with a hurried receding of the throng, and then, dispersed, while all the church chimers of the city were ringing and muffled drums were played.

Europe has seen grander royal funerals than the Queen's and has a more gorgeous spectacle in the celebration of her sixty years of reign, but no episode in the Victorian era will so deeply impress on the memories of those who witnessed it or participated in the ceremonies.

The day was sunnier, wet and chilly as are most of London's winter days. The cloudy sky added to the gloom of the whole city.

## A Number of Accidents.

There were quite a number of accidents during the crushes in London. Individual hospitals admitted at least thirty cases. Several persons were badly hurt through falling from elevated places.

Prior to the arrival of the funeral train, Maj. Edward Bassindale, a veteran officer, fell dead from excitement in the crowd.

The St. John's Ambulance association attended 1250 persons injured during the funeral crush today in London. The association had 701 doctors and nurses busy at twenty-six stations.

At Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, Feb. 2.—A heavy rain was

falling at 9:30 o'clock, when the royal mourners left the yachts for the Clarence yard, where the Albert had lain all day, long after the hour of the Queen's death.

The landing place and the approaches to the station were heavily draped. Enormous crowds had gathered. The royal train left Gosport at 8:30.

Guard was mounted on the warships and minute guns were fired as the coffin, borne by blue-jackets, was transferred to the waiting saloon carriage.

## Short Service on the Yacht.

The scene was pathetic and imposing. The King, accompanied by Queen Alexandra and some princesses, who passed the night on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, proceeded to the royal yacht Albertina in a steam launch.

King Edward boarded the yacht at 8:45, five minutes after the hour of the Queen's death. He was accompanied by the Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha and Princess Henry of Battenberg being present. The only mourner visible in the dresses of the princesses. The firing of minute guns marked the passage of the coffin to the funeral train, which was to which it was borne shoulder high by a company of the royal yachts, preceded by a clergyman.

Immediately behind the coffin were carried the crown, globe, standard and a few choice wreaths.

King Edward, Emperor William, the Duke of Connaught and the crown prince followed the remains, and then came the ladies of the royal family and the admirals.

The progress of this mournful procession was marked by the firing of the guns and the strains of the funeral march.

## AT VICTORIA STATION.

Great Crowds Gather to Gaze Glimpses of the Gun Carriage.

London, Feb. 2.—By 10:30 o'clock the Victoria station presented a most animated appearance. Sovereigns, princes, the headquarters staff, field marshals and state officials, in multi-colored uniforms, having gathered there to await the arrival of the royal train.

At 11 o'clock the royal train was seen slowly approaching the Victoria station. All heads were immediately bared and in a few moments the saloon carriage bearing the remains of her majesty reached the platform.

The King and Queen, Emperor William and the crown prince, followed the train at the Victoria station and were conducted to a pavilion where the Kings of Portugal, Greece and Belgium and other distinguished personages had already assembled. The royal train was met by the King and Queen and the briefest delay. The coffin was reverently removed by an officer and twelve grenadiers and deposited on the gun carriage. The pall, with the crown and regalia of the British crown, and the insignia of the garter were placed thereon, and the procession started.

In the procession were six carriages, the first and second carrying Queen Alexandra, the Duchess of Fife (now princess royal), Princess Victoria Eugenie, Charles of Denmark and the daughters of Queen Victoria and the King of the Belgians. The soldiers representing the German army, non-commissioned officers and men and the escort brought up the rear.

## Several People Fainted.

There was an ugly crush in the crowd at the Marble arch when the gates were unexpectedly closed after the procession had passed. Several persons fainted.

The procession moved in accordance with the official programme as cabled in these dispatches January 31.

At 11:30 a.m. as the strains of Chopin's funeral march echoed through the streets, every head within hearing distance was bared.

As the gun carriage emerged from the station during a brief and impressive pause in the procession, all eyes were centered upon the pall, which covered the coffin.

The silence was almost painful. Heads were bent low and the gun carriage slowly moved across the station yard, and took up its place in the procession.

Immediately behind it rode the King and Queen, Emperor William and others alighted. Then the bearer party advanced to the saloon carriage and with his hand at the salute and standing a little in advance of the others, King Edward watched the monarch's removal of the coffin to the gun carriage. It was finally accomplished and the pall and the regalia of the British crown were placed on the coffin.

## Witnessed by Enormous Crowds.

The uniforms of all three were partly hidden by their overcoats, which were made necessary by the chillness of the weather. The King rode in the Phoenix and the King of Portugal rode in the imperial carriage after King Edward's and Emperor William's suites. Emperor William rode with a white horse. Enormous crowds witnessed the passage of the cortege here.

Most of the people, however, does not in fact witness the procession, as the carriage was not to be seen until it reached the house of the dead Queen. High officials were admitted within the railing, while outside stood the weather-worn pensioners of Chelsea, paying their last tribute.

## THE PROCESSION.

Thousands of Soldiers and Sailors Escort Official Mourners.

London, Feb. 2.—The procession, apart from the gun carriage bearing the coffin and the royal family and official mourners about it, was noteworthy. Parliament, the judiciary and the commercial bodies were not represented. Royalty, the army and navy monopolized the procession, and the ranks of soldiers and sailors, picked companies representing all branches of the service, cavalry, artillery, infantry, yeomanry, militia volunteers and colonials formed the advance escort.

They marched slowly and without music. Most of the uniforms were covered with dark overcoats and the standards were draped with black, the officers wearing bands of crepe on their sleeves. The infantry marched in columns of four, with rifles reversed. They were half at arms in passing. Then came Field Marshal Earl Roberts, with his staff, and after them, four massed bands playing funeral marches.

Three hundred musicians announced the coming of the body of the Queen. There was a long array of court officials, and the ranks of soldiers and sailors, picked companies representing all branches of the service, cavalry, artillery, infantry, yeomanry, militia volunteers and colonials formed the advance escort.

Most of the spectators expected an imposing catastrophe and the coffin was almost past before they recognized its presence by removing their hats. It was a pathetically small oblong black casket, covered beneath a rich pall of white satin, on the corners of which streamed the royal arms. Across the pall the royal standard and a long array of court officials, and the ranks of soldiers and sailors, picked companies representing all branches of the service, cavalry, artillery, infantry, yeomanry, militia volunteers and colonials formed the advance escort.

nesses. A large bow of purple was attached to the coffin. This was the only symbol of mourning.

Around the coffin walked the stalwart bearers, non-commissioned officers of the guards and household cavalry, and on either side were the Queen's equerries, lord-in-waiting and physicians. All the uniforms were covered with long, dark cloaks.

## The King's Familiar Figure.

Immediately after the company about the coffin three royal mourners rode abreast. King Edward VII. was the central figure of the three, but no less conspicuous personages were seen in the procession. A black cape with a plume of white feathers, was on his head, and a long black cloak was buttoned around him and hung down over his big, black horse which he was riding. The King's familiar face seemed grave and careworn.

He looked straight ahead, apparently at the gun carriage on which was the body of the sovereign whose glory and responsibilities he had inherited. He did not look at the people, but he did look at the long ranks of soldiers heading back the populace about him—the windows crowded with black-hooded women, the multitude of uncovered heads, the purple draperies and the deep mourning. He looked like a man alone, who neither knew or thought of the world about him, and the sentiment his presence inspired was only sympathy and pity. The people seemed to see in the King one of themselves and the deep mourning with its sense of sorrow and love almost as deep as the expressions which greeted the passage of the coffin of their Queen.

## No Mistaking the Kaiser.

Beside King Edward rode Emperor William, his nephew and neighbor. The unique, commanding figure of the German Emperor was a man alone, who neither knew or thought of the world about him, and the sentiment his presence inspired was only sympathy and pity. The people seemed to see in the King one of themselves and the deep mourning with its sense of sorrow and love almost as deep as the expressions which greeted the passage of the coffin of their Queen.

## CHARGES OF TREASON.

Delegate Wilcox of Hawaii is Accused of Offering Aid to the Philippines.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—A petition containing charges was submitted to the House committee on elections No. 1 against Robert W. Wilcox, the Hawaiian delegate in the House of Representatives. The charges are made in writing by George D. Gear of Hawaii, who submitted letters purporting to be copies of letters written by Wilcox to Filipino officials.

The alleged letters are of a highly sensational character. One said to have been written by Wilcox is dated Honolulu, January 31, 1909, and addressed to Dr. J. Losada, Capt. Marti Burgos, and Senor J. Luna, and introduced to them "a friend of mine who is an able man to help you in your cause." Among other things the letter says:

"Mr. — will be a useful ally to fight for the cause of the Philippines. One thing is sure, that you could resist any army of invasion. You have a population of 12,000,000 and already a disciplined army of 30,000, well equipped with modern arms."

"I have already made up my mind to join with you and your country against America in case they continue to ignore the rights of your people. I know you have a military and an artillery officer. I have no fear of the whole world when I fight for a legitimate cause like yours. Between Gen. Aguinaldo and the United States army, I would be little chance left to the invading army of the United States to conquer your country. Tell Gen. Aguinaldo I am ready to help him in your cause."

"It is also alleged 'that Wilcox, in his speeches prior to the election, made use of the strongest kind of anti-American utterances for the purpose of carrying the election."

## PLAYERS ORGANIZE.

Initial Meeting of Baseball Men from the Various Leagues at Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 2.—Baseball players from the National, American and Eastern leagues gathered in large numbers today at the Hollenden hotel, to attend the first regular meeting of the Players' Protective association. The meeting was scheduled for 10 o'clock, but at that hour the executive committee, which had gone into session behind closed doors early in the morning, was still at work and sent out word that the committee's report will not be ready possibly until this afternoon.

It was learned that the committee had under discussion plans for the organization of the association, also requirements of eligibility to attendance at the regular meeting. The meeting, it is expected, will be held behind locked doors. Only recognized baseball players, it was announced, will be permitted to attend.

Practically every club in the three leagues is represented by from one to three players. Robinson and McGraw, who recently became magnates, had not arrived up to noon.

## THE PUBLIC DEBT.

A Reduction of \$4,395,432 During the Month of January.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business January 31, 1909, the debt less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$1,094,395,432, a decrease for the month of \$4,395,432. The debt is recapitulated as follows:

Interest-bearing debt, \$1,091,500,200; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, \$2,023,190; debt bearing no interest, \$384,983,460; total, \$1,377,093,650. This amount, however, does not include the debt in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash on hand held for their redemption.

The cash in the treasury is classified as follows: Gold certificates, \$150,000,000; trust funds, \$763,337,770; general fund, \$123,576,610. In national bank deposits to the credit of disbursing officers and to the treasury of the United States, \$97,530,036; total, \$1,134,472,416. Against which there are demand liabilities, outstanding amounting to \$841,450,958, leaving a cash balance on hand of \$293,021,073.

## CONGRESS.

Senate.

Wednesday, Jan. 20.—Spent the day in debate on the shipping bill after an unsuccessful attempt to secure an agreement on the conference report on the army reorganization bill.

Thursday, Jan. 31.—By a vote of 23 to 25 agreed to the conference report on the army reorganization bill. The shipping bill was discussed during the latter part of the day, and some progress was made on the amendments. A speech by Mr. Rawlins of Utah against the bill was in progress at the close of the day. Mr. Chandler announced that a night session would be held Friday to advance the bill to its final stages.

Friday, Feb. 1.—Spent the day considering the shipping bill.

Saturday, Feb. 2.—Met at 11 o'clock and with the exception of an hour and a half at the beginning of the session devoted the entire day to the discussion of the shipping bill. Mr. Turner and Mr. Chandler were the speakers in the opposition. Mr. Turner's speech was based largely upon exceptions which he had taken to Mr. Chandler's speech. The bill was passed by a vote of 23 to 25.

Monday, Feb. 4.—The ship subsidy bill was held aside informally by the Senate to permit consideration of the appropriation bill. The shipping bill will be taken up when the appropriation bill is not occupying attention.

Tuesday, Feb. 5.—The greater part of Monday was given to a speech by Mr. Chandler on the ship subsidy bill. The Senate demanded information on the bill in the executive departments. He took the position that the departments are the proper place for the discussion of the bill, and that the Senate should not demand information on the bill in the executive departments.

Wednesday, Jan. 20.—Passed the agricultural appropriation bill.

Thursday, Jan. 21.—Passed the fortification bill and made fair progress with the postoffice appropriation bill. During the general debate upon the former bill Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Friday, Feb. 1.—Passed an omnibus bill carrying out claims for soldiers and sailors who served in the Union Army during the rebellion. The claims were passed on by the court of claims and aggregated \$37,439,000. Practically all the beneficiaries reside in the South. Considerable opposition to the bill was displayed under the leadership of Mr. Cannon, the chairman of the appropriation committee. It failed to pass by a vote of 23 to 25.

Saturday, Feb. 2.—Spent the day with 2 o'clock in the consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill. The bill was passed by a vote of 23 to 25.

Sunday, Feb. 3.—Spent the day with 2 o'clock in the consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill. The bill was passed by a vote of 23 to 25.

Monday, Feb. 4.—Passed the Senate bill to create a commission to investigate the claims of United States citizens against the United States assumed by the treaty of Paris, after having amended the bill so as to refer the claims to the court of claims.

Tuesday, Feb. 5.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Wednesday, Feb. 6.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Thursday, Feb. 7.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Friday, Feb. 8.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Saturday, Feb. 9.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Sunday, Feb. 10.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Monday, Feb. 11.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Tuesday, Feb. 12.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Wednesday, Feb. 13.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Thursday, Feb. 14.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Friday, Feb. 15.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

Saturday, Feb. 16.—Continued discussion of controversial questions in connection with postoffice appropriation bill. Mr. La Follette of Texas delivered a long speech upon the future of the Democratic party, making a strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy and counsel at the head of the battle line and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party.

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